

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF AGING**

**DISABILITY AND AGING COMMUNITY LIVING ADVISORY COMMITTEE (DACLAC) MEETING  
MAY 11, 2022 TRANSCRIPT**

14:01:59 HI, EVERYBODY. WELCOME. JUST GOING TO GIVE IT A COUPLE MORE SECONDS FOR FOLKS TO JOIN. IT LOOKS LIKE OUR ATTENDEE COUNT IS STILL CLIMBING. GREAT. WELL, LET'S GET STARTED WITH JUST A COUPLE OF LOGISTICS REMINDERS BEFORE I TURN IT OVER FOR THE WELCOME.

14:02:09 WE CONTINUE TO MEET VIRTUALLY. SO THIS MEETING IS AVAILABLE ON YOUR SMARTPHONE, ON YOUR TABLET, ON YOUR COMPUTER, AND YOU COULD ALWAYS DIAL IN ON YOUR PHONE.

14:02:23 LIVE CAPTIONING AND AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION IS AVAILABLE TO ENABLE CAPTIONING, PLEASE SELECT THE CC OR LIVE TRANSCRIPT ICON ON YOUR ZOOM TOOLBAR. AND YOU SHOULD SEE THE SUBTITLES POPULATE THERE.

14:02:33 THE RECORDING SLIDES AND TRANSCRIPTS ARE ARCHIVED AND WILL BE POSTED TO THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMUNITY LIVING WEB PAGE.

14:02:51 AND WE ARE SAVING TIME FOR PUBLIC COMMENT. SO FOR THOSE WHO ARE JOINING US VIA THEIR COMPUTERS OR SMARTPHONES OR TABLETS, YOU CAN USE THE Q&A FUNCTION TO SUBMIT A COMMENT OR QUESTION, AND WE'LL READ YOUR QUESTIONS ALOUD DURING THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD.

14:03:03 YOU CAN ALSO USE THE RAISE HAND ICON TO JOIN THE QUEUE. AND THOSE WHO ARE JOINING BY PHONE CAN PRESS STAR 9 TO JOIN THE QUEUE, AND WE WILL UNMUTE YOUR LINE TO HEAR FROM YOU DIRECTLY.

14:03:18 AND WITH THAT, I KNOW THAT DIRECTOR DEMAROIS IS ACTUALLY I THINK DOING A PRESENTATION AS WE SPEAK AND WILL BE JOINING US LATER TODAY. SO SARAH STEENHAUSEN HAS VOLUNTEERED TO DO THE WELCOME FOR US. SARAH.

14:03:37 >> WELL, THANK YOU SO MUCH. IT'S WONDERFUL TO SEE EVERYBODY HERE. THANK YOU ALL FOR BEING HERE. BUT I'M REALLY PLEASED THAT WE HAVE BEEN JOINED BY DARCI DELGADO, OUR AMAZING ASSISTANT SECRETARY AT THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY WHO'S BEEN A REALLY VALUABLE PARTNER ON ALL OF THE ISSUES PERTAINING TO MASTER PLAN FOR AGING.

14:03:47 AND BECAUSE SUSAN IS SPEAKING RIGHT NOW AT ASSEMBLYMEMBER IN A SANIAN'S TO RUN HALL SHE'LL BE JOINING US IN 20 MINUTES.

14:03:54 AND DARCI IS GOING TO MAKE A FEW OPENING REMARKS ON HER BEHALF. WELCOME, DARCI, AND THANKS FOR BEING HERE.

14:03:57 >> THANK YOU, SARAH. CAN YOU HEAR ME OKAY?

14:03:58 >> YES.

14:04:25 >> PERFECT. OKAY. GREAT. WELCOME, EVERYONE, FOR THOSE WHO I HAVE NOT MET YET, MY NAME DARCI DELGADO. I'M HAVING FOMO TODAY, FEAR OF MISSING OUT, BECAUSE I HEAR THAT GLENDALE IS JUST THE PLACE TO BE TODAY FOR ALL THINGS RELATED TO AGING AND THE DISABILITY COMMUNITY.

14:04:48 AND APPARENTLY I MISSED THE INVITE TO NEW ORLEANS A FEW WEEKS AGO. SO I JUST -- YOUR GUYS' GROUP DOES A LOT OF REALLY FUN THINGS. BUT SUPER HAPPY TO BE TALKING WITH EVERYONE TODAY AND REALLY ON BEHALF OF OUR SECRETARY, DR. MARKO GALLY, WANT TO THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO THE DISABILITY AND AGING COMMUNITY LIVING ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

14:05:09 THE WORK THAT YOU ALL HAVE DONE, YOU KNOW, I'VE ONLY BEEN IN THIS POSITION FOR NINE MONTHS BUT TO REALLY WRAP MY HEAD AROUND ALL OF THE WORK WITH CALAIM, THE DIRECT CARE WORKFORCE, HOUSING, TRANSPORTATION. IT'S JUST AMAZING TO REALLY UNDERSTAND AND SEE ALL OF THE GREAT WORK THAT DACLAC IS DOING IN THESE AREAS.

14:05:31 AND REALLY APPRECIATE YOUR GROUP'S TAKING THE TIME TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE PROPOSED CARE COURT FRAMEWORK THIS AFTERNOON. WE KNOW THAT THERE'S BEEN A LOT OF STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT. AND I KNOW FROM THE SECRETARY HE'S VERY INTERESTED IN ENSURING THAT WE ARE LISTENING TO ALL OF THE STAKEHOLDERS' FEEDBACK ON THE CARE COURT PROPOSAL.

14:05:46 SO EXCITED TO HEAR THE PROPOSAL BEING PRESENTED TO ALL A TODAY BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY TO HEAR THE FEEDBACK. AND SO WHEN I HEAR DR. GALLY SPEAK A LOT ABOUT BUSTING SILOS, THIS GROUP IS REALLY ONE EXAMPLE OF THAT IN PRACTICE.

14:06:09 AND SO JUST REALLY GRATEFUL TO ALL THE EXPERTS ON THIS COMMITTEE. AND I'D LIKE TO GIVE A SPECIAL SHOUTOUT TO PATTI AND ERIC FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP. THE DIVERSITY OF THE PERSPECTIVES THAT THIS TABLE IS UNLIKE ANY. AND SO IT IS JUST INCREDIBLY IMPORTANT TO KEEP LIFTING UP THE VOICES THAT YOU ALL BRING TO THE TABLE. SO THANK YOU FOR YOUR WORK IN THIS AREA.

14:06:37 SO TODAY'S WEDNESDAY, TWO MORE DAYS UNTIL THE GOVERNOR WILL BE RELEASING THE MAY REVISION TO HIS BUDGET. REALLY EXCITED ABOUT WHATNOT JUST CALHHS AGENCY WILL BE LIFTING UP IN TERMS OF NEW INVESTMENTS BUT ALSO LOOK FOR EXCITING INVESTMENTS IN SOME OF OUR SISTER AGENCIES. HOUSING, LABOR, NATURAL RESOURCES, TRANSPORTATION.

14:07:00 AND I THINK OUR AGENCY AND THE ADMINISTRATION AS A WHOLE IS LOOKING FORWARD TO BUILDING ON THE HISTORIC INVESTMENTS THAT WERE MADE LAST YEAR AND HOW CAN WE LEVERAGE THE DOLLARS IN THIS YEAR'S PROPOSED BUDGET TO BETTER -- CONTINUE OUR IMPLEMENTATION AND REALLY IMPROVE UPON THAT IN THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING.

14:07:12 WE KNOW WE'RE IN YEAR TWO NOW, AND VERY EXCITED TO HAVE YOU FOLKS BE WEIGHING IN ON THE NEXT ROUND OF THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING AND THE PRIORITIES THAT WE NEED TO BE FOCUSING ON.

14:07:31 I DO THINK THAT THE NEXT TWO YEARS ARE VERY CRITICAL IN BUILDING OUT THE SYSTEMS THAT WE NEED TO SUPPORT OLDER CALIFORNIANS, CALIFORNIAS WITH DISABILITIES, AND CAREGIVERS

AS WE ARE NOT ONLY FOCUSING ON YEAR TWO OF MASTER PLAN FOR AGING BUT OUR TEN-YEAR BLUEPRINT FOR CALIFORNIA.

14:07:47 SO EXCITEMENT FOR WHAT'S COMING ON FRIDAY, BUT ALSO JUST A LOT OF OTHER GREAT THINGS THAT I WANT TO TOUCH ON JUST TO MAKE SURE THAT EVERYONE IN THE ROOM IS AWARE OF ALL OF THE DIFFERENT PIECES THAT ARE TOUCHING OLDER CALIFORNIANS AND CALIFORNIANS WITH DISABILITIES.

14:08:03 SO THIS MONTH, VERY EXCITED AND VERY PROUD TO EXTEND THE FULL SCOPE OF MEDICAL COVERAGE TO ALL UNDOCUMENTED CALIFORNIANS AGE 50 AND ABOVE. IT'S SO INCREDIBLE TO BE PART OF A STATE THAT IS LOOKING TO PROVIDE THAT SUPPORT TO UNDOCUMENTED CALIFORNIANS.

14:08:21 AND SO JUST REALLY PROUD OF THAT EFFORT. WE ARE ALSO RIGHT IN THE THICK OF IMPLEMENTING SOME CURRENT DOLLARS, ALMOST \$11 BILLION IN DIRECT CARE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT, STRENGTHENING IHHS.

14:08:23 [\$1 BILLION]

14:08:34 AND LOOKING FORWARD TO HOW THE POTENTIAL DOLLARS CAN SUPPLEMENT THOSE WORKFORCE RELATED ISSUES. SO AGAIN, THANK YOU ALL FOR BEING HERE. REALLY EXCITED FOR ALL THE DISCUSSIONS THAT WILL HAPPEN.

14:08:59 AND PLEASE, EVERYONE, WATCH FOR AN ANNOUNCEMENT FROM OUR SECRETARY DR. MARK GALLY. HE WILL BE HOLDING A SECRETARY STAKEHOLDER CALL ONCE THE MAY REVISE IS RELEASED AND HOPE THAT YOU ALL CAN JOIN, BRING YOUR QUESTIONS, BRING YOUR COMMENTS, BECAUSE I SEE OUR AGENCY IS VALUING THAT ACTIVE LISTENING. AND WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU.

14:09:11 NOT JUST TODAY, NOT JUST ON FRIDAY BUT THROUGHOUT THE YEAR AS WE ARE WORKING TOGETHER IN COLLABORATION TO LIFT UP THESE EFFORTS. SO THANK YOU AGAIN FOR HAVING ME. SARAH, I WILL HAND IT BACK TO YOU.

14:09:26 >> GREAT. WELL, THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THOSE REMARKS, DARCI. GOOD TO HAVE YOU HERE. AND I WANT TO TURN TO OUR WONDERFUL CO-CHAIRS, ERIC HARRIS AND PATTI PRUNHUBER, TO SEE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE ANY OPENING REMARKS. ERIC.

14:09:44 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH, SARAH. MY NAME IS ERIC HARRIS, I'M ONE OF THE CO-CHAIRS OF THE DACLAC COMMITTEE. AND I'M ALSO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC POLICY AT DISABILITY RIGHTS CALIFORNIA. I USE PRONOUNS HE/HIM.

14:10:07 AND I'M REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO THIS CONVERSATION AND I THINK THAT WE HAVE A FULL AGENDA WITH A LOT OF DIFFERENT PRESENTATIONS FOR EVERYONE ON A NUMBER OF DIFFERENT TOPICS, AND WE ARE REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO THE ENGAGEMENT PIECE. I KNOW THAT HAS BEEN, AS YOU ALL KNOW, A PRIORITY FOR THE CO-CHAIRS.

14:10:37 IT'S BEEN A PRIORITY FOR SUSAN. AND WE REALLY WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT THAT'S ALWAYS A MAJOR PORTION OF EACH OF THESE MEETINGS SO THAT WE LISTEN AND ENGAGE WITH YOU ALL AND THAT YOU ALL ARE ABLE TO GIVE YOUR THOUGHTS, CRITIQUES, IDEAS, SO THAT WE CAN HAVE THOSE IDEAS AND MOVE FORWARD TO MAKE THIS DACLAC COMMITTEE THE BEST IT CAN POSSIBLY BE. SO WITH THAT, I'LL GO AHEAD AND PASS IT ONTO PATTI.

14:10:46 >> THANKS SO MUCH, ERIC. FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO DON'T KNOW ME, I AM PATTI PRUNHUBER, SENIOR HOUSING ATTORNEY AT JUSTICE IN AGING.

14:11:19 I AM DELIGHTED TO BE SHARING THIS CO-CHAIR WITH ERIC, MY PARTNER. AND I WANTED TO THANK DARCI FOR HER WARM APPRECIATION OF DACLAC, AND I THINK SHE'S RIGHT, THAT WE HAVE A UNIQUE COMPOSITION AND MANDATE TO REALLY BRING THE DIFFERENT PIECES TOGETHER TO ADVANCE COMMUNITY LIVING, AND YOU'LL SEE THAT IN THE WORK THAT WE'VE DONE AND IN THE AGENDA FOR TODAY, WHICH IS GOING TO REALLY FOCUS ON THE WORK THAT CAN BE DONE.

14:11:27 IN THE SUBSEQUENT YEAR OF THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING AND ASSESSMENT OF WHERE WE ARE AND HOW WE CAN MOVE THOSE GOALS FORWARD.

14:11:35 I THINK WE'LL ALSO DO A DEEPER LOOK AT TWO KEY AREAS THAT ARE SORT OF THE HEART AND SOUL OF ADVANCING COMMUNITY LIVING.

14:11:42 AND THAT'S COMMUNITY SUPPORTS TO ADVANCE INDEPENDENT LIVING FOR OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES.

14:11:46 AND THAT WILL BE THE CALAIM PRESENTATION.

14:12:01 AND THEN WE'VE TALKED A LOT ABOUT HOUSING AND BOTH THE HOUSING AND TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEES WILL GIVE US IMPORTANT UPDATES ON THE WORK THEY'VE BEEN DOING AND THE PRIORITIES THAT THEY'VE ESTABLISHED.

14:12:20 AND THEN AS ERIC MENTIONED, IT'S THE ENGAGEMENT PART IS SO IMPORTANT. AND WE WILL HAVE PUBLIC COMMENT, BOTH FOLLOWING THOSE PRESENTATIONS AND WE'LL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO TALK ABOUT THE CARE COURT'S PROPOSAL AND HEAR FROM OUR COMMUNITY ABOUT THAT AS WELL.

14:12:38 SO IT'S A RICH AGENDA. IT'S A VERY PACKED AGENDA. AND IT BEGINS WITH OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AT JUSTICE IN AGE, KEVIN PRINDIVILLE, KICKING US OFF WITH SOME REPORT ON THE MPA IMPACT COMMITTEE. THANK YOU.

14:13:03 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH. APPRECIATE THAT SO MUCH, PATTI. AND WE'RE SO HAPPY THAT WE GET TO HEAR FROM KEVIN NOW. AND I JUST WANT TO SAY BEFORE WE MOVE -- TURN IT OVER TO KEVIN, WHAT AN AMAZING PARTNER HE HAS BEEN ON BEHALF OF LEADING NOT ONLY JUSTICE IN AGING HAS BEEN SUCH A CRITICAL PARTNER, BUT REALLY ENGAGING AND WORKING WITH ALL STAKEHOLDERS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE MASTER PLAN AND NOW INTO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF IT.

14:13:22 AND PATTI AND ERIC, I LOVE WHAT YOU SAID ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF ENGAGEMENT AND THE MODEL THAT YOU BOTH ARE SETTING BY LEADING THIS COMMITTEE AND HELPING CO-CHAIR IT, HELPING SET THE AGENDAS, HELPING ENSURE THAT OUR ADVISORY COMMITTEE -- SORRY, OUR SUBCOMMITTEES ARE SO ENGAGED IN BRINGING FORWARD SUCH GREAT IDEAS.

14:13:29 SO WITH THAT, MARIYA, ARE WE DOING COMMITTEE MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS? I DON'T THINK WE'RE READING THROUGH EVERYBODY. AM I CORRECT?

14:13:43 >> NO, I DON'T THINK WE WILL. I THINK THAT'S A LOT OF FOLKS SO WE WANT TO USE OUR TIME WISELY TODAY. BUT WE'LL SCROLL THROUGH THEM AND ENCOURAGE MEMBERS TO SAY HELLO IN THE CHAT AS A WAY TO INTRODUCE YOURSELF.

14:13:49 AND I THINK PATTI COVERED THE AGENDA, SO WE COULD PROBABLY SKIP THAT SLIDE TOO AND TURN RIGHT OVER TO KEVIN, IF YOU'RE READY.

14:13:58 >> GREAT. THANK YOU, KEVIN, FOR BEING HERE AND TALKING TO US ABOUT YOUR WORK ON THE IMPACT COMMITTEE AND IN PREPARATION FOR OUR DAY OF ACTION IN SEPTEMBER.

14:14:13 >> YEAH. THANK YOU, SARAH. AND THANK YOU TO CDA FOR CONTINUED ENGAGEMENT ON THESE ISSUES. AND THANKS TO PATTI AND ERIC AND THE WHOLE GROUP HERE. IT'S WONDERFUL TO SEE YOU ALL AGAIN. I REALLY APPRECIATE THE WORK YOU'RE DOING AS PART OF DACLAC.

14:14:23 IT'S THE BEEFIEST OF ALL THE COMMITTEES I THINK IN TERMS OF TACKLING A LOT OF THE KEY ISSUES THAT ARE SO IMPORTANT TO ALL OF US AND TO OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES ACROSS THE STATE.

14:14:45 I'M HERE TODAY WEARING MY HAT AS A MEMBER OF THE IMPACT COMMITTEE. THE IMPACT STAKEHOLDER COMMITTEE IS ONE OF THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING COMMITTEES. WE'RE THE COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR LOOKING AT EVERYTHING TOGETHER AND PROVIDING ADVICE ON IMPLEMENTATION AND HOLDING CDA AND THE WHOLE OF GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE ON IMPLEMENTING THE MARS PLAN.

14:15:00 AND OUR LAST MEETING, WHICH WAS LAST MONTH, WE RELEASED OUR FIRST -- I APOLOGIZE. I'VE GOT A NEIGHBOR RUNNING SOME LOUD EQUIPMENT. SO HOPEFULLY IT'S NOT TOO DISTRACTING FOR YOU ALL. IT IS FOR ME.

14:15:10 BUT LAST MONTH WE RELEASED OUR FIRST MPA REPORTS WITH FEEDBACK ON YEAR ONE OF IMPLEMENTATION FROM WHAT I UNDERSTAND THE REPORT WAS INCLUDED IN THE MEETING MATERIALS.

14:15:33 ONE OF THE THINGS WE HIGHLIGHTED IN THAT REPORT WAS A GOOD THING THAT'S HAPPENED IN THE FIRST YEAR IS THE MOMENT OF KEY LEADERSHIP IN AGING AND DISABILITY AT THE STATE LEVEL, PEOPLE LIKE SUSAN AND KIM AND SARAH AND CLAIRE AND DARCI, OTHERS ON THIS CALL THAT HAVE REALLY STEPPED UP TO PROVIDE LEADERSHIP AND KEY AGENCIES.

14:15:47 AND THEN ALSO WE THINK IT'S VERY POSITIVE THAT THESE NUMEROUS STAKEHOLDER COMMITTEES LIKE DACLAC AND THE IMPACT COMMITTEE AND OTHERS HAVE BEEN CREATED AND ARE UP AND RUNNING AND FIGURING OUT THEIR ROLE AND TAKING ON IMPORTANT WORK.

14:16:06 ALL THESE COMMITTEES ARE REALLY IMPORTANT TO THE SUCCESS OF MEETING ALL OF THE GOALS OF THE MPA. GIVEN THAT THERE ARE SO MANY COMMITTEES, HOWEVER, AND THEY'RE ALL TAKING ON REALLY IMPORTANT SCOPES OF WORK, THE IMPACT COMMITTEE DID OBSERVE THAT THERE COULD BE INCREASED ALIGNMENT AND COORDINATION ACROSS THE COMMITTEES.

14:16:20 OPPORTUNITIES TO REALLY STRENGTHEN UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT EACH COMMITTEE IS DOING AND BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS BETWEEN SO THAT WE'RE ALL KEEPING GOING IN THE SAME DIRECTION.

14:16:33 WITH THAT IN MIND, WE ALSO THINK THAT THE COMMITTEES CAN PLAY A CRITICAL ROLE IN HELPING DEFINE THESE NEXT YEARS OF THE MPA. SO THE INITIAL PLAN OUTLINED A LOT OF INITIATIVES THAT WERE FOR THE FIRST TWO YEARS.

14:16:43 SO THE IMPACT COMMITTEE HAS BEEN TALKING TO CDA ABOUT HOW WE PLAN FOR THE YEARS BEYOND AND HOW WE LEVERAGE ALL OF THE COMMITTEES LIKE DACLAC AND OTHERS TO DO THAT PLANNING FOR BEYOND.

14:16:57 SO WITH ALL THIS IN MIND, THE IMPACT COMMITTEE HAS BEEN TALKING TO CDA ABOUT HOW TO ENGAGE AND GET INPUT FROM ALL OF THE COMMITTEES AND COUNCILS THAT HAVE BEEN CREATED.

14:17:24 AND SO WHAT WE HAVE IN MIND IS WE WOULD LIKE EACH OF THE COMMITTEES TO HAVE A PROCESS WHERE YOU CAN PUT TOGETHER AND PROVIDE FEEDBACK ON WHAT YOUR TOP PRIORITIES AND RECOMMENDATIONS WOULD BE FOR YEARS THREE AND FOUR AND BEYOND OF THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING. SO TAKING A MOMENT TO REFLECT ON WHAT'S GOTTEN DONE SO FAR AND THINK ABOUT WHAT SHOULD BE DONE DIFFERENT OR SHOULD BE DONE DEEPER AS WE MOVE AHEAD.

14:17:50 IMPACT COMMITTEE'S GIVEN SOME ADVICE TO CDA ABOUT BUILDING LIKE A STANDARD TEMPLATE THAT EACH COMMITTEE CAN USE TO COME UP WITH THOSE IDEAS. WE'D LIKE EACH OF THE COMMITTEES TO DEVELOP PRIORITIES OR PLATFORM OR WHATEVER MAKES SENSE FOR YOUR COMMITTEE OVER THE NEXT FEW MONTHS, AND THEN THE BIG NEWS IS THAT WOULD ALL BE SHARED AS PART OF A BIG CONVENING THAT'S BEING PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER 20.

14:18:12 I THINK THERE'S A SLIDE UP ABOUT THIS. THE CALIFORNIA FOR ALL AGES AND ABILITIES DAY OF ACTION. THIS IS GOING TO BE IN-PERSON EVENT, HEALTH WILLING, IN SACRAMENTO. IT WILL BE A CHANCE FOR EVERYBODY WHO CARES ABOUT THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING TO COME TOGETHER AND DO THAT PLANNING TOGETHER FOR WHAT THE NEXT SEVERAL YEARS OF THE PLAN LOOK LIKE.

14:18:22 AND AS PART OF THAT DAY, THERE WOULD BE OPPORTUNITIES FOR EACH COMMITTEE TO PRESENT ON WHAT YOU THINK THE PRIORITIES SHOULD BE MOVING FORWARD.

14:18:36 THIS IDEA IS KIND OF MODELED ON A WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON AGING, A DAY FOR US TO COME TOGETHER AND FOR THE WHOLE STATE TO THINK DEEPLY ABOUT THE ISSUES OF AGING AND ISSUES FOR THE DISABILITY COMMUNITY.

14:18:51 I WANT TO SAY THAT THE IMPACT COMMITTEE DEVELOPED A REPORT, LIKE A WRITTEN REPORT. IN OUR REPORT WE IDENTIFIED THREE BIG RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MOVING FORWARD. THE FIRST WAS TO FOCUS ON SOME BIG THINGS.

14:19:17 SO THE FIRST TWO YEARS OF THE MPA, CDA AND THE WHOLE OF GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN WORKING ON OVER 100 AND WHATEVER INITIATIVES. IT'S BEEN A LOT TO TRACK. SOME OF THEM ARE BIG, SOME OF THEM ARE SMALL. WE'D LIKE TO SEE SOME FOCUS MOVING FORWARD ON TRYING TO TACKLE A COUPLE BIG THINGS TOGETHER AND THE THINGS THE IMPACT COMMITTEE IDENTIFIED AS THE BIG THINGS TO FOCUS ON WOULD BE HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES.

14:19:30 AND HOW DO WE REALLY BUILD A SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING CARE FOR PEOPLE IN THE HOME AND COMMUNITY, AND THE OTHER ISSUE WAS ELDER HOMELESSNESS. HOW DO WE SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF HOMELESSNESS FOR OLDER ADULTS.

14:19:44 THAT WAS ONE OF OUR RECOMMENDATIONS. THE NEXT RECOMMENDATION WAS TO GO DEEPER ON EQUITY, AND THE THIRD RECOMMENDATION WAS TO KEEP THE GOVERNOR REALLY INVOLVED TO REALLY USE THE GOVERNOR AS A VOICE FOR HIGHLIGHTING THE IMPORTANCE OF AGING AND DISABILITY ACROSS THE STATE.

14:20:03 SO THOSE WERE OUR THREE RECOMMENDATIONS. AND WE'RE A SMALLER COMMITTEE. WE WERE ABLE TO WRITE A REPORT. THAT MIGHT NOT BE PRACTICAL FOR EVERY COMMITTEE. SO THE IMPACT COMMITTEE IS CERTAINLY OPEN TO DACLAC FINDING ITS WAY TO GET IDEAS ON THE TABLE FOR EVERYONE TO CONSIDER.

14:20:21 SO FOR YOU ALL THAT MIGHT BE LOOKING AT THE TEMPLATE THAT GETS DEVELOPED AND EACH OF YOU DOING SOME THINKING ON YOUR OWN ABOUT WHAT YOU THINK THE PRIORITIES WOULD BE AND MAYBE AT YOUR NEXT MEETING YOU HAVE A CONVERSATION. AND THEN WE ASK THE CO-CHAIRS TO REPORT OUT TO THE IMPACT COMMITTEE OF WHAT YOU HEARD AS SOME OF THE BIG THEMES AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

14:20:41 AND THEN WE'D WORK WITH YOU TO TURN THAT INTO A PRESENTATION AT THE SEPTEMBER 20 EVENT. SO I DON'T WANT TO SOUND LIKE I'M HERE GIVING YOU TOO BIG OF AN ASSIGNMENT TO TACKLE, BUT WHAT I AM HERE IS TO INVITE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THESE QUESTIONS ABOUT WHERE WE SHOULD ALL BE GOING NEXT.

14:21:07 AND WE WANT THAT TO BE SOMETHING THAT FEELS PRACTICAL TO YOU ALL IN TERMS OF HOW WE GET THAT DONE. BUT THE WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR I THINK IS THE MAIN THING IS WE REALLY WANT YOU ALL TO BE BRINGING YOUR EXPERTISE TO THE TABLE HERE SO THAT WE CAN CONTINUE TO PUSH EACH OTHER AND THE STATE TO SAY WHAT NEXT WILL HELP US MEET THE GREATEST NEEDS AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE BEST OPPORTUNITIES IN FRONT OF US.

14:21:25 I THINK I COVERED EVERYTHING I WAS HOPING TO. SO, HAPPY TO TAKE SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS. OR IF WE'RE BEHIND ON THE AGENDA, ALSO HAPPY TO TAKE QUESTIONS OFFLINE.

14:21:28 >> THANK YOU, KEVIN. LOOKS LIKE WE DO HAVE A QUESTION FROM GREG.

14:21:34 >> HI. THANK YOU. AND THANK YOU, KEVIN, FOR YOUR REPORT.

14:21:55 OBVIOUSLY I'M EXTREMELY INTERESTED IN GOAL NUMBER 1, ESPECIALLY RELATED TO IHHS. SO IF THERE'S ANY WAY, YOU NEED ANY HELP ON ANY OF THE COMMITTEES, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT TO ME. AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR WORK.

14:22:00 >> THANKS, GREG. AND GOOD TO SEE YOU.

14:22:14 >> GREAT. WE'LL TAKE ONE MORE QUESTION FROM MICHELLE. AND THEN I WOULD JUST ENCOURAGE COMMITTEE MEMBERS TO USE THE CHAT TO CONNECT WITH KEVIN, AND WE'LL MOVE ONTO OUR NEXT AGENDA ITEM. WE HAVE A PACKED AGENDA. SO MICHELLE, GO AHEAD.

14:22:38 >> YEAH. WHEN YOU TALK ABOUT EQUITY, AND I'M GLAD THAT IT'S SOMETHING THAT IS ON YOUR AGENDA TO DO, BUT I THINK BRINGING ALL OUR SERVICES AND THINGS THAT WE NEED TO BE ABLE TO LIVE IN THE COMMUNITY IS VERY IMPORTANT, AND NOT TO LEAVE OUT ANY ONE AREA OF IMPORTANCE.

14:23:00 I THINK LACK OF TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING AND OTHER THINGS IS SO IMPORTANT. AND WE JUST NEED TO REMEMBER THAT IT'S ALL PART OF WHAT SERVICES WE NEED TO HAVE AND HAVE A HUGE IMPACT ON GIVING THOSE SERVICES IN A WAY THAT IS ACCESSIBLE TO EVERYBODY WHO NEEDS THEM. THANK YOU.

14:23:11 >> GREAT. WELL, THANK YOU SO MUCH. AND I KNOW THAT IT LOOKS LIKE SUSAN MAY HAVE JOINED US. SO I'M GOING TO HAND IT OVER TO HER AND SEE IF SHE'D LIKE TO INTRODUCE OUR NEXT PRESENTER.

14:23:33 >> DEFINITELY. THANKS, MARIYA. AND KEVIN, THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR JOINING US. THANK YOU FOR THE WORK OF THE IMPACT COMMITTEE AND FOR TAKING TIME TO BE HERE TODAY AND COMMITTING TO HELP DACLAC AND OTHER GROUPS MOVE FROM HERE TO SEPTEMBER 20TH SO WE CAN USE -- MAKE THE BEST USE OF THE INPUT AND FEEDBACK THAT WE GET. THANKS SO MUCH FOR BEING HERE. APPRECIATE IT.

14:23:48 AND NOW IT'S MY PLEASURE TO OPEN UP THE CONVERSATION ON CALAIM COMMUNITY SUPPORTS. AND WE'RE FORTUNATE TODAY THAT WE ARE JOINED BY BRIANNA ENSSLIN JANOSKI. I HOPE I SAID THAT CORRECTLY.

14:24:06 SHE'S WITH ATI ADVISORY AND HAS BEEN DOING EXTENSIVE WORK, RESEARCH WORK AND RECENTLY PRODUCED A REPORT THAT I THINK IS OF GREAT VALUE. AND WE'RE GOING TO BE HEARING FROM HER ABOUT THE WORK WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES AND OUR CALAIM INITIATIVE HERE IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

14:24:13 AND OPENING IT UP FOR QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS AFTER SHE PRESENTS. WELCOME. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR JOINING US, BRIANNA.

14:24:35 >> THANK YOU, SUSAN. THANKS FOR HAVING ME, EVERYONE. IT'S NICE TO MEET THOSE OF YOU THAT I HAVEN'T BEFORE. VERY QUICKLY, I AM DIRECTOR AT ATI ADVISORY, WHICH IS A SMALL RESEARCH AND POLICY FIRM FOCUSED ON COMPLEX CARE. AND SPECIFICALLY OLDER ADULTS AND INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES FOR A LOT OF OUR WORK.

14:24:59 SO REALLY HAPPY TO HAVE A CHANCE TO CHAT WITH YOU ALL. WE'VE BEEN WORKING TO LOOK AT MCP, MANAGED CARE PLANS, THINKING AND PROCESSES AND THE EARLY LAUNCH AS A PRE-IMPLEMENTATION AND LAUNCH OF COMMUNITY SUPPORTS, SPECIFICALLY LOOKING AT SIX COMMUNITY SUPPORTS THAT ARE MOST FOCUSED ON SUPPORTING INDEPENDENT LIVING.

14:25:25 SO WE CAN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE. VERY QUICKLY WE'LL COVER OUR WORK AND WHAT WE DID, THEN WE'LL TAKE SOME TIME TO LOOK AT THOSE SIX COMMUNITY SUPPORTS, EARLY ADOPTION FROM THE PLANS AND SOME LESSONS THAT WE'VE LEARNED AND WHAT WE HEARD FROM PLANS AROUND WHY YOU SEE THE THINGS THAT YOU'RE SEEING IN TERMS OF ADOPTION RATES OF DIFFERENT SERVICES BY DIFFERENT MANAGED CARE PLANS.

14:25:35 AND THEN REALLY SPEND TIME TALKING ABOUT WHAT'S NEXT AND HOW WE MOVE FORWARD FROM HERE. SO YEAH, WE CAN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE AND TALK ABOUT OUR WORK HERE.

14:25:50 WE WERE SUPPORTED BY THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH CARE FOUNDATION WHO WAS INTERESTED IN SAYING THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY COMMUNITY SUPPORTS ARE PRESENTING THIS

TREMENDOUS OPPORTUNITY FOR CALIFORNIA THAT WE REALLY HAVEN'T SEEN NATIONALLY IN A SIMILAR MAGNITUDE.

14:26:11 SO LOOKING AT THE EXPERIENCES OF PLANS AND UNDERSTANDING WHAT'S INHIBITING THEIR UPTAKE, WHAT CAN WE BE DOING TO BROADEN THE UPTAKE AND DO SO EQUITABLY. SO TO UNDERSTAND WHAT WAS GOING ON, WE INTERVIEWED NATIONAL PLANS THAT HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH IN LIEU OF SERVICES, WHICH IS WHAT COMMUNITY SUPPORTS ARE CALLED NATIONALLY.

14:26:33 WE TALKED WITH PLANS IN CALIFORNIA ABOUT THEIR EXPERIENCE OVER THE LAST YEAR OR SO, THINKING THROUGH THESE SERVICES. AND WE ALSO DID REALLY EXTENSIVE RESEARCH INTO THE LITERATURE, HOW THEY'RE ON THESE SERVICES, WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT HOW EFFECTIVE THEY ARE AND WHAT THE BENEFITS ARE FOR BENEFICIARIES FOR PLANS, FOR STATES.

14:26:44 AND WE LOOKED AT REGULATIONS, WE LOOKED AT PLAN EXPERIENCES. THERE'S A LOT IN THERE. AND ULTIMATELY, PRODUCED A FEW DIFFERENT RESOURCES. SO WE CAN GO, WE HAVE A SLIDE ILLUSTRATING EACH OF THESE.

14:27:05 SO ALL OF THESE RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE ON CALIFORNIA HEALTH CARE FOUNDATIONS WEBSITE. I ENCOURAGE YOU TO GO DIG IN THERE. THERE'S A LOT IN HERE. THERE IS A FULL REPORT WHICH TALKS ABOUT EACH OF THESE SIX SUPPORTS THAT WE'RE GOING TO HIGHLIGHT IN OUR MOST INTERESTING FOR THE CONVERSATION TODAY AROUND INDEPENDENT LIVING.

14:27:27 SO WE HAVE TWO-PAGE PROFILES OF EACH OF THOSE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS ILLUSTRATING WHAT THEY ARE, EARLY EXPERIENCES OF MANAGED CARE PLANS, WHAT THEY WERE THINKING ABOUT IN TERMS OF OFFERING THEM, DATA AVAILABLE ON HOW EFFECTIVE THEY ARE, AND THEN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR BOTH PLANS AND STATE TO THINK THROUGH TO PROMOTE GREATER UPTAKE.

14:27:46 SO THAT'S RESOURCE NUMBER 1. WE GO TO THE NEXT PAGE. THE SECOND RESOURCE THAT WE PUT TOGETHER IS PRETTY INTERESTING IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN DATA AND UNDERSTANDING HOW EFFECTIVE THESE DIFFERENT SERVICES ARE. SO WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF RESPITE SERVICES, WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT THE IMPACT OF MEALS.

14:27:57 AND YOU CAN GO THROUGH, AND YOU CAN FILTER AND UNDERSTAND ARE THERE POSITIVE OUTCOMES ASSOCIATED, ARE THERE OUTCOMES POSITIVE, NEGATIVE, NEUTRAL FOR CAREGIVERS, FOR UTILIZATION, ET CETERA.

14:28:19 SO IF YOU ARE INTO DATA, YOU CAN REALLY DIG IN HERE FOR QUITE A WHILE. SO I ENCOURAGE YOU TO TAKE A LOOK THERE. AND THEN THE NEXT SLIDE FEATURES THE THIRD AND UPCOMING RESOURCE COMING OUT OF OUR PROJECT, WHICH IS A WEBINAR NEXT WEEK WITH KATE MEYERS FROM THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH CARE FOUNDATION AND CARRIE GRAHAM FROM THE CENTER FOR HEALTH CARE STRATEGIES.

14:28:31 AND WE'RE REALLY GOING TO BE TALKING ABOUT THE INTERSECTION OF THE LONG-TERM CARE INSTITUTIONAL CARVE IN AND COMMUNITY SUPPORTS UNDER CALAIM AND WHAT THAT ALL MEANS FOR THE STATE MOVING FORWARD.

14:28:39 SO IF YOU'RE INTERESTED I ENCOURAGE YOU AGAIN, THIS IS ON THE CHCF WEBSITE. AND THAT WEBINAR IS I THINK IT'S NEXT THURSDAY.

14:28:54 SO WE CAN THEN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE. AND NOW WE'RE GOING TO DIVE INTO COMMUNITY SUPPORT AND THESE SERVICES THAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT. AND THE NEXT SLIDE WE START WITH A QUICK CONVERSATION ON HOW THIS ALL FITS IN WITH CALAIM.

14:29:12 AND I THINK EVERYONE HERE IS FAMILIAR. CALAIM IS THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES INITIATIVE TO TRANSFORM THE MEDICAID DELIVERY SYSTEM. A LOT OF THIS BUILDS ON GREAT WORK THAT THE STATE HAS BEEN WORKING ON FOR MANY YEARS NOW.

14:29:38 THE EARLY IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMUNITY SUPPORTS AND ENHANCED CARE MANAGEMENT IN JANUARY OF THIS YEAR, I THINK WE CAN REALLY THINK OF AS LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR A LOT OF THESE SUBSEQUENT INITIATIVES THAT ARE GOING TO ROLL OUT FOR CALAIM, SPECIFICALLY FOCUSED ON SUPPORTING INDIVIDUALS TO LIVE IN THE COMMUNITY AND DO SO WHILE -- SO COMMUNITY SUPPORTS WE'LL TALK ABOUT A LOT MORE.

14:29:47 ENHANCED CARE MANAGEMENT RUNS ALONGSIDE OF THAT AND CAN BE SUPPORTIVE OF MAKING SURE INDIVIDUALS GET THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS THAT THEY MIGHT NEED.

14:30:08 AND THEN WE'LL SEE THAT REALLY BE FOUNDATIONAL FOR THE EVENTUAL ROLLOUT OF THE INSTITUTIONAL LONG-TERM CARE CARVE-IN, EXPANDING LTSS INTO NEW REGIONS ACROSS THE STATE AND THINKING ABOUT ALIGNING THAT WITH MEDICARE, WHICH IS WHAT YOU SEE ALONG THE BOTTOM IN TERMS OF ALIGNMENT WITH DUAL ELIGIBLE SPECIAL NEEDS PLANS.

14:30:19 ALL ALL OF THIS IS MEANT TO CREATE ONE UNIFIED SYSTEM TO PROVIDE WHOLE PERSON CARE AND INDIVIDUALIZED CARE FOR INDIVIDUALS AND THEIR UNIQUE NEEDS.

14:30:43 OKAY. SO WHAT ARE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS? WHAT ARE MEDICAID IN LIEU OF SERVICES, IF YOU ARE NOT FAMILIAR WITH MEDICAID MANAGED CARE, THOSE PLANS HAVE THE ABILITY TO DELIVER SERVICES WITHIN THE MEDICAID STATE PLAN, WHATEVER IS IN IN THEIR CONTRACT, THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE GREATER FLEXIBILITY, RECOGNIZING THAT MEMBERS ARE DIFFERENT.

14:31:00 EACH INDIVIDUAL IS DIFFERENT AND THEIR NEEDS ARE DIFFERENT. SO THIS PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PLANS TO VOLUNTARILY SAY WE WANT TO OFFER THIS ARRAY OF OTHER SERVICES THAT ARE COST EFFECTIVE MEDICALLY APPROPRIATE, SOMETIMES NONMEDICAL SERVICES THAT MIGHT BE IN LIEU OF A DIFFERENT SERVICE.

14:31:18 SO PLANS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE I WANT TO OFFER THIS, I DON'T, I SEE A VALUE IN THIS, I CAN OPERATIONALIZE IT WELL FOR MY MEMBERS, AND THEN IF A PLAN DOES OFFER IT, MEMBERS HAVE THE ABILITY TO SAY NO, THAT'S NOT FOR ME OR YES, IT IS, THAT THAT'S GREAT, THAT'S JUST WHAT I NEED. THANK YOU.

14:31:33 SO BOTH SIDES, ALL SIDES, THEY HAVE THE ABILITY TO ACCEPT OR OFFER IT OR NOT. THERE'S ALSO THE ABILITY FOR PLANS TO ADD NEW SERVICES EVERY SIX MONTHS. AND THEY CAN TAKE AWAY A SERVICE ON AN ANNUAL BASIS.

14:31:50 SO YOU'LL SEE WHEN WE TALK ABOUT THE INITIAL ROLLOUT IN JANUARY, THERE IS AN EXPECTED INCREASE IN SERVICES IN JULY AND THEN SUBSEQUENTLY EVERY SIX MONTHS. PLANS ARE OFFERING MORE AND MORE SERVICES.

14:32:12 AND THEN JUST KIND OF A LITTLE BIT HERE. THE LAST TWO, THE STATE NEEDS TO PRE-APPROVE -- THE STATE HAS PRE-APPROVED 14 SERVICES IN CALIFORNIA FOR A PLAN TO OFFER. AND THEN IF A PLAN WANTS TO OFFER A DIFFERENT SERVICE, IF THEY SEE A NEED, AN OPPORTUNITY, THEY CAN GO THROUGH A PROCESS TO OBTAIN APPROVAL FOR OTHER IN LIEU OF SERVICES.

14:32:31 AND ALL OF THIS, A LOT OF THIS REALLY BUILDS, THESE SERVICES BUILD ON EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE AND CAPACITY THAT WAS DEVELOPED THROUGH INITIATIVES LIKE WHOLE PERSON CARE, HEALTH HOMES, CONNECT. SO THAT IS SOME OF WHAT WE FOUND IS THAT PLANS HAVE REALLY BUILT OFF THAT INFRASTRUCTURE FROM THOSE EXISTING PROGRAMS.

14:32:58 WE CAN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE. THANK YOU. SO HERE YOU HAVE A SNAPSHOT OF THE 14 PRE-APPROVED COMMUNITY SUPPORTS IN CALIFORNIA. AND YOU'LL NOTICE A LOT OF THEM ARE FOCUSED ON A MORE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH LENS. THE SIX AT THE BOTTOM ARE THOSE THAT WE HAVE ASSESSED TO BE THE MOST SUPPORTIVE OF INDEPENDENT LIVING FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES AND OLDER ADULTS.

14:33:19 AND WHAT YOU'LL NOTICE UNFORTUNATELY IS THAT THERE WAS A SLOWER UPTAKE OF SOME OF THESE SERVICES OVERALL. SO DAY HABILITATION IS THE ONE OUTSIDE OF THE ORANGE BOX THAT HAS THE LOWEST INITIAL UPTAKE BY PLANS AND WHAT WE HEARD WITH THAT IS THERE WAS JUST QUITE FRANKLY A LOT OF CONFUSION ABOUT WHO THOSE PROVIDERS MIGHT BE, WHATNOT.

14:33:35 OTHERWISE, FOR THE FOCUS OF THE WORK THAT WE LOOKED AT, THERE IS AN INITIAL LOWER UPTAKE. BUT WE ARE SEEING IN JUNE, IN SUBSEQUENT SIX-MONTH ITERATIONS FROM WHAT WE'VE SEEN WITH PLANS, THEY INTEND TO ROLL THESE OUT OVER TIME.

14:33:52 I THINK IT WAS A LOT OF CAPACITY. WE'LL TALK ABOUT WHY THAT IS. BUT A SLOWER START, BUT EXCITING TO SEE AND MEALS BEING THE NUMBER ONE CHORE, THE SIX SERVICES WERE FOCUSED ON IN TERM OF WHAT PLANS HAVE DECIDED TO OFFER FROM THE GET-GO.

14:34:01 AND WE LEARNED A LOT OF THAT WAS PLANS HAD EXISTING RELATIONSHIPS WITH MEAL PROVIDERS, SO THEY KNEW THEY COULD EQUITABLY OFFER THAT SERVICE IN THEIR SERVICE AREA.

14:34:10 SO IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE, THERE ARE UPDATED FULL MATRIXES OF WHICH PLANS, WHICH COUNTIES AT THE LINK AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS SLIDE.

14:34:13 SO WELCOME YOU TO DIG INTO THAT FURTHER.

14:34:16 WE CAN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE.

14:34:35 AND HERE WE TALK ABOUT SOME OF THE CONSIDERATIONS. SO THIS WAS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PLANS TO THINK THROUGH HOW DO I WORK WITH THE STATE, WHAT DO I WANT TO LAUNCH, WHAT DO I SEE VALUE IN FOR MY MEMBERSHIP, WHAT DO I HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH AND FEEL CONFIDENT I CAN IMPLEMENT IN AN EFFECTIVE AND EQUITABLE WAY.

14:34:52 SO I'M NOT GOING TO GO THROUGH EACH ONE OF THESE. WE TALK ABOUT THEM PRETTY EXTENSIVELY IN THE REPORT. BUT THE KEY TAKEAWAY TO UNDERSTAND IN TERMS OF WHAT WE LEARNED ABOUT PLANS EXPERIENCES OR DECISION-MAKING PROCESSES WAS THAT FOR THE MOST PART THEY SAW THESE AS ALL BENEFICIAL SERVICES.

14:35:10 IT WAS REALLY A MATTER OF HOW DO WE OPERATIONALIZE THESE SERVICES AND HOW DO WE OPERATIONALIZE THEM EQUITABLY WITHIN OUR SERVICE AREAS. HOW DO WE FIND THOSE PROVIDER PARTNERS AND SUPPORT THEM TO ENGAGE WITH US. THAT WAS THE PRIMARY LIMITING FACTOR IN PLANS OFFERING THESE SERVICES FROM THE GET-GO.

14:35:23 SO WE'LL TALK ABOUT MORE ABOUT THAT AS WE GET GOING. HERE I WANT TO SPEND A COUPLE SLIDES TALKING THROUGH SCENARIOS OF WHAT DOES THIS MEAN AND WHAT ARE THESE SERVICES LOOK LIKE IN ACTION.

14:35:35 SO WE CAN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE, PLEASE. TWO HIGH-LEVEL SCENARIOS OF HOW COMMUNITY SUPPORTS, THESE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS COULD WRAP AROUND TO SUPPORT AN INDIVIDUAL.

14:35:58 SO THIS INDIVIDUAL, THIS HYPOTHETICAL INDIVIDUAL COULD BE A MEMBER WHO'S BEEN IN A NURSING FACILITY. BUT THEY'VE ONLY BEEN IN A NURSING FACILITY FOR 35 DAYS. SO THEY ARE NOT ELIGIBLE YET FOR THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY TRANSITIONS PROGRAM, WHICH IS THE EXISTING MONEY FOLLOWS THE PERSON PROGRAM, THAT HELPS PEOPLE IF THEY'RE ABLE TO BE TRANSITIONED OUT OF A NURSING FACILITY HOME.

14:36:07 SO IT'S DETERMINED THEY'RE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THAT SERVICE BUT THEY ARE ELIGIBLE, THEY HAVE THE MEANS TO TRANSITION HOME AND THE ABILITY.

14:36:25 SO THEY ARE CONNECTED WITH THE COMMUNITY TRANSITION SERVICES NURSING HOME -- NURSING FACILITY TO HOME COMMUNITY SUPPORT. THAT HELPS THEM WITH UTILITIES FOR THE FIRST FEW MONTHS WHEN THEY'RE HOME, HELPS THEM REINTEGRATE BACK INTO THEIR HOME SETTING.

14:36:45 THEIR TRANSITIONING HOME TO LIVE WITH THEIR SPOUSE WHO WILL BE THEIR PRIMARY CAREGIVER SO THEY SET UP RESPITE SERVICES PROACTIVELY FOR THE FAMILY MEMBER, HOME MODIFICATIONS TO SUPPORT A NEW WHEELCHAIR, NEW EQUIPMENT AND MEALS TO SUPPORT SUCCESSFUL LIVING AT HOME AND MANAGEMENT OF CHRONIC CONDITION.

14:36:56 SO THIS IS JUST ONE EXAMPLE OF A MYRIAD OF WAYS OF HOW THESE DIFFERENT SERVICES CAN BE PIECED TOGETHER TO SUPPORT PEOPLE TO LIVE IN THE HOME. SO THAT'S EXAMPLE ONE. WE CAN GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE.

14:37:11 ANOTHER EXAMPLE HERE, YOU HAVE AN INDIVIDUAL THEY'RE LIVING AT HOME. THEY'RE AT RISK FOR INSTITUTIONALIZATION. THEY MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR IN-HOME SUPPORT SERVICES. BUT THEY HAVEN'T BEEN APPROVED YET FOR THOSE SERVICES.

14:37:33 SO DURING THAT WAITING PERIOD WHILE THEY'RE WAITING FOR IHSS, THEIR PLAN CAN CONNECT THEM TO COMMUNITY SUPPORT SO THEY CAN THEN GET THE PERSONAL CARE SERVICES THROUGH THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS. THEY CAN ALSO GET THE HOME MODS AND MEALS THEY NEED TO BETTER WRAP AROUND THEM AND SUPPORT THEM TO LIVE MORE -- LIVE WELL IN THE COMMUNITY.

14:37:51 SO THERE'S A LOT OF DIFFERENT WAYS THOSE COULD BE PIECED TOGETHER. THOSE WERE JUST TWO EXAMPLES TO ILLUSTRATE HOW THIS FITS INTO THE LARGER HEALTHCARE SYSTEM, BECAUSE THIS IS SOMETHING WE'VE HEARD CONSISTENTLY IN TERMS OF HOW DOES THIS PIECE TOGETHER WITH ALL THE OTHER SIMILAR SERVICES THAT ARE OUT THERE.

14:38:02 AND THERE ARE NUANCES. AND IT IS SOMETHING TO WORK THROUGH, FOR SURE. SO MOVING FORWARD, LET'S GO TO THE NEXT SLIDE, PLEASE.

14:38:32 A LOT OF WHAT WE HEARD WAS CAPACITY BUILDING FOR PLANS AND FOR PROVIDERS. SO BEFORE I DIVE INTO OUR RECOMMENDATIONS, REALLY EXCITING OPPORTUNITY IF YOU'RE NOT FAMILIAR WITH THE OPPORTUNITY FOR PROVIDING ACCESS AND TRANSFORMING HEALTH, THE PATH DOLLARS. IF THESE DOLLARS GO THROUGH, THERE'S A GREAT OPPORTUNITY HERE TO BASICALLY THE FOUR BUCKETS BELOW, TO SUPPORT COMMUNITY SUPPORT.

14:38:47 AND I THINK EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF AVAILABILITY OF THESE SUPPORTS. AND WHAT PATH IS RECOMMENDING OR WOULD BE DOING IS REALLY MIRRORS OUR RECOMMENDATIONS AND WHAT WE HEARD FROM PLANS ABOUT WHAT'S NEEDED.

14:39:06 SO THIS IS WONDERFUL. REALLY EXCITING. I THINK THE RISK HERE IN WHAT TO KEEP IN MIND IS HOW DO WE MAKE SURE THESE DOLLARS GO TO THOSE COMMUNITY PROVIDERS WHO MIGHT NOT KNOW ABOUT THAT, MIGHT BE IN THAT RURAL AREA WHO COULD BE PROVIDING SERVICES IN AN AREA WHERE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS AREN'T AVAILABLE.

14:39:10 HOW DO WE SUPPORT THOSE PROVIDERS TO ACCESS THESE DOLLARS.

14:39:28 SO SOMETHING TO KEEP IN MIND, SOMETHING TO KEEP TRACK OF, THERE'S TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE POTENTIALLY THROUGH PATH, COLLABORATION BUILDING FOR ECM AND COMMUNITY SUPPORTS PLANS PROVIDERS, AND INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORT AS WELL POTENTIALLY THROUGH THESE PATH DOLLARS.

14:39:50 SO THIS WILL AGAIN LARGELY MIRROR WHAT YOU'LL SEE WITH PATH. WE PUT THESE TOGETHER BASED OFF OUR CONVERSATIONS WITH PLANS AND WHAT WE HEARD WAS THAT CONTINUED DETAILED GUIDANCE FROM THE STATE IS WELCOME AND APPRECIATED AND WOULD REALLY HELP EFFICIENT UPTAKE OF THESE OFFERINGS.

14:40:26 WE ACTUALLY WENT INTO THE PROJECT THINKING THAT PLANS WOULD WANT THE FLEXIBILITY, AND LESS GUIDANCE. AND WE HEARD THE EXACT OPPOSITE, THAT PLANS WANTED VERY DETAILED GUIDANCE. IT REALLY HELPED THEM UNDERSTAND AND IMPLEMENT THESE SERVICES. TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR PROVIDERS I THINK ALSO WORKING, SUPPORTING PLANS TO SHARE INFORMATION ON A ONGOING BASIS, BEING VERY HELPFUL, SHARING INFORMATION IN TERM OF WHAT THOSE SERVICES ARE THAT PLANS ARE OFFERING OUTSIDE OF THE 14 PRE-APPROVED COMMUNIT

14:40:49 AND HELP EXPAND ACCESS. THE THIRD BULLET HERE IS A LITTLE OFF FROM THIS CAPACITY-BUILDING CONVERSATION OR THEME IN TERMS OF WHAT'S NEEDED, WHAT'S NEXT. BUT THERE'S A NUANCE HERE THAT THERE'S AN OPPORTUNITY TO UNCOUPLE SOME OF THESE SERVICES FROM A PRE-APPROVED STANDPOINT THAT COULD HELP EXPAND ACCESS.

14:41:10 AND THE EXAMPLE HERE IS THAT PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM IS COUPLED WITHIN OUR IS WITHIN THE HOME MODIFICATION SERVICE. SO PLANS COULDN'T BEFORE FIND A PROVIDER TO DELIVER HOME MODIFICATIONS THEY FELT CONFIDENT IN, BUT THEY KNEW THEY COULD DELIVER PERSONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE, SO THEY WANTED TO DO THAT SEPARATELY.

14:41:30 SO THAT'S JUST A SMALL MORE TECHNICAL RECOMMENDATION. AND THEN OUR FINAL SLIDE HERE, TALKING ABOUT PLAN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION, AND A LOT OF THIS, AGAIN, WE'VE HEARD THROUGH THE LAST COUPLE OF SLIDES IS HAVING THE STATE AND PLANS WORK TOGETHER TO SHARE BEST PRACTICES.

14:41:46 I THINK REALLY IMPORTANTLY TO THE EXTENT PLANS CAN SHARE INFORMATION ON THEIR COMMUNITY SUPPORTS PROVIDERS AND MAKING SURE THAT OTHER PLANS IN THOSE AREAS CAN IDENTIFY THOSE PROVIDERS AND POTENTIALLY OFFER SERVICES THROUGH THEM AS WELL, COULD HELP.

14:42:04 SHARING GAPS IN SERVICES AND COLLABORATING WITH OTHER PLANS, AGAIN, TO SOLVE SHARED ISSUES, ENGAGING WITH COMMUNITY SUPPORTS PROVIDERS AND HELP THEM ACCESS PATH DOLLARS. AND WORKING WITH PROVIDERS HERE TO INTEGRATE COMMUNITY SUPPORT INTO THE STANDARD CARE PLANNING PROCESS.

14:42:21 AND I THINK MICHELLE, WHAT YOU WERE SAYING BEFORE, BEFORE I HOPPED IN, IS IMPORTANT HERE. THIS IS IT. SO HOW DO WE MAKE THESE SERVICES FIT INTO THE COMMUNITY, INTO THE HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEM IN A MEANINGFUL AND SEAMLESS WAY WHERE ALL BENEFICIARIES HAVE ACCESS TO THEM.

14:42:41 AND THEY ARE ASSESSED, AND THEY HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ACCEPT OR DECLINE THESE IN TERMS OF IF THEY'LL BENEFIT THEM OR NOT. SO THINKING THROUGH NOT JUST ENGAGING COMMUNITY SUPPORTS PROVIDERS BUT ALSO PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIANS, THERE'S THAT TOUCH BENEFICIARIES AND COULD CONNECT THEM TO THESE SERVICES.

14:42:50 SO I JUST SPOKE A LOT. THAT WAS IT. HAPPY NOW, SARAH, TO TAKE QUESTIONS OR --

14:42:58 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH, BRIANNA. WHAT AN AMAZING OVERVIEW. I ENCOURAGE EVERYONE TO EXPLORE THE RESOURCES ON THE WEBSITE LINK WE PUT UP.

14:43:16 IT'S A PHENOMENAL REPORT, AT LEAST COMING FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF TRYING TO UNDERSTAND HOW COMMUNITY SUPPORTS CAN BE UTILIZED TO IMPACT THE ABILITY OF OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES TO REMAIN AT HOME AND ACCUMULATE COMMUNITY AND WHERE SOME OF THE CHALLENGES AND BARRIERS CAN BE THAT CAN BE ADDRESSED.

14:43:32 SO THIS IS A PERFECT SEGUE I THINK FROM THE EARLIER CONVERSATION WE HAD WITH JC COOPER WHO PROVIDED THE BROAD OVERVIEW OF CALAIM. AND WE DID START TO KIND OF GET INTO THIS ISSUE OF THE CALAIM COMMUNITY SUPPORTS, ENHANCED CARE MANAGEMENT.

14:43:45 AND I THINK IT'S A LOT -- THERE'S A LOT OF IMPORTANT ELEMENTS FOR THIS COMMITTEE TO THINK ABOUT IN TERMS OF THE CONSUMER PERSPECTIVE, HOW WE CAN ASSURE THAT THOSE PEOPLE WHO NEED THESE SERVICES CAN BENEFIT FROM THESE SERVICES.

14:44:06 HOW WE CAN ENSURE THAT THE COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE PROVIDING MANY OF THESE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE. HOW WE CAN ENSURE THAT THESE COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS KNOW HOW TO ACCESS AND UTILIZE AND PARTNER WITH THE PATH FUNDING THAT BRI JUST RAISED.

14:44:13 AND UNDERSTANDING HOW WE CAN BUILD UP OUR CAPACITY TO WORK WITH THE MANAGED CARE PLANS AND MAKE THOSE CONNECTIONS ACROSS THE SYSTEMS.

14:44:28 SO THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR GREAT COMMENTS IN THE CHAT. AND I KNOW SEVERAL OF YOU HAVE SUCH IMPORTANT PERSPECTIVES TO OFFER. AND I DO SEE A COUPLE OF HANDS RAISED. AND I'M ALSO GOING TO CALL ON A FEW OF YOU IF I DON'T HEAR FROM SOME PEOPLE, BECAUSE I THINK THERE'S A LOT WE CAN HEAR FROM YOU.

14:44:38 SO WITH THAT, SHERI, PLEASE TAKE IT AWAY. AND WE WELCOME YOUR FEEDBACK. THANK YOU.

14:44:58 >> HI. THANK YOU. SARAH, I REALLY APPRECIATE YOU MENTIONING THAT THE CBOS KNOW HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THAT.

14:45:21 MY QUESTION HAS TO DO MORE WITH ACCESS. HOW WILL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES APPROVE THOSE PROVIDERS IN HOMES, FOR EXAMPLE.

14:45:32 ARE THEY ACTUALLY FULLY ACCESSIBLE? AND I DON'T MEAN COMMUNICATION WITH A WHITE BOARD.

14:45:32 >> OKAY.

14:45:50 >> WE'VE HAD MANY TIMES WHERE DEAF PEOPLE ARE JUST NEGLECTED, AND THEY HAVE NO MEANINGFUL COMMUNICATION. AND THEY'RE TOO ILL TO WRITE ON A WHITE BOARD.

14:46:04 SO IT'S REALLY DEPLORABLE SITUATION FOR DEAF ACCESS IN NURSING HOMES. WE NEED SOME KIND OF CONTROL OVER HOW THEY APPROVE THAT, HOW PEOPLE GET CERTIFIED FOR THAT.

14:46:10 SHOW PROOF THAT IT WILL TRULY BE ACCESSIBLE.

14:46:22 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH, SHERI, FOR YOUR IMPORTANT -- OH -- FOR YOUR IMPORTANT FEEDBACK. AND I THINK THAT THIS TOUCHES ON THE ISSUE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS IN ALL SERVICES.

14:46:54 I KNOW THAT WE HAVE SOME OF OUR PARTNERS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES ON THE LINE IF THEY WISH TO COMMENT. BUT I WOULD TURN IT TO YOU, TOO, BRI, JUST TO SEE IF YOU HAD WITHIN YOUR RESEARCH THAT YOU CONDUCTED, ANY COMMENTS OR DISCUSSION ON THIS ISSUE OF ACCESS, AND NOT JUST LANGUAGE ACCESS, BUT ALSO CULTURAL COMPETENCY AND HOW WE CAN ENSURE THAT OUR PROVIDERS REFLECT THE NEEDS OF THE POPULATION.

14:46:57 >> YES.

14:47:13 >> I'M HAPPY TO JUMP IN. YES. SO IT'S A VERY IMPORTANT ISSUE. WE UNFORTUNATELY DID GET TO GO TOO IN DEPTH ON THIS TOPIC. WE TALKED A LOT ABOUT THOROUGH ACCESS AND JUST THE INITIAL CONTRACTING PROCESS.

14:47:28 BUT I THINK IT'S CRITICALLY IMPORTANT, AND FROM WHAT I UNDERSTAND ABOUT PLANS WORKING WITH COMMUNITY PROVIDERS, THE BIGGEST CONCERN THAT WE HEARD WAS THAT THEY WERE VETTING COMMUNITY PROVIDERS VERY CLOSELY FOR QUALITY.

14:47:38 AND IN SOME CASES THEY WEREN'T CONTRACTING, AND THEY WEREN'T ABLE TO OFFER THOSE SERVICES, BECAUSE THEY COULDN'T FIND PROVIDERS THAT THEY FELT COULD DELIVER THE SERVICES THAT THEY WANTED.

14:47:47 AND I SEE THAT AS A PIECE OF THAT. BUT I THINK THERE'S PROBABLY MORE GOING ON THAT WE DON'T HAVE INSIGHT INTO.

14:47:58 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THAT, BRI. I APPRECIATE THAT INSIGHT. AND AGAIN, WE'RE HAPPY TO HEAR FROM ANYBODY IN OUR DEPARTMENT PARTNERS THAT IF THEY WISH TO WEIGH IN AS WELL.

14:48:19 SO NOW I SEE SHERI BURNS, YOU HAVE YOUR HANDS RAISED, AND I THINK IT WOULD BE VERY GOOD TO HEAR FROM YOU NOW, BECAUSE YOU ARE A PROVIDER OF THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY TRANSITIONS PROGRAM, AND YOU ALSO HAVE EXPLORED BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS WITH YOUR LOCAL MEDI-CAL MANAGED HEALTH CARE PLAN. SO I APPRECIATE YOUR BEING HERE AND PROVIDING ANY COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS.

14:48:33 >> YEAH. THANK YOU, SARAH, AND THANK YOU, BRIANNA, FOR THAT EXCELLENT OVERVIEW. I CERTAINLY ENCOURAGE EVERYONE TO READ THE FULL REPORT, BECAUSE THERE'S SO MUCH WONDERFUL INFORMATION IN THERE, VERY, VERY HELPFUL STATISTICS.

14:49:00 I GUESS MY FIRST QUESTION, I MIGHT COME BACK WITH ANOTHER ONE IF WE HAVE TIME, AS A PROVIDER AND KNOWING THAT I THINK A LOT OF PEOPLE WERE VERY EXCITED ABOUT CALAIM, THE EXPANSION AND GOING IN THIS DIRECTION, ESPECIALLY SINCE THERE ARE SO FEW CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY TRANSITION PROVIDERS IN MANY AREAS OF THE STATE.

14:49:21 AND IT'S EXTREMELY DIFFICULT FOR MANY FOLKS WITH A DISABILITIES AND CHRONIC HEALTH CONDITIONS THAT ARE ON MEDI-CAL TO GET OUT OF THE NURSING HOME AND HAVE ALL THE RESOURCES AND KNOWLEDGE AND EVERYTHING THAT THEY NEED TO PUT TOGETHER ON THEIR OWN, ESPECIALLY IF THEY DON'T HAVE FAMILY MEMBERS CLOSELY AFFILIATED WITH THEM.

14:49:42 SO THEY REALLY RELY ON THOSE OF US AS CCT PROVIDERS TO PROVIDE THOSE SERVICES. BUT ONE OF THE THINGS THAT YOU MENTIONED WAS THE TIMING OF SOME OF THESE ESSENTIAL SERVICES, AND EVEN THOUGH WE KNOW THAT THE TRANSITION SERVICES HISTORICALLY SINCE CCD STARTED OR MFP, AS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL.

14:50:03 IT'S VALUED BY THOSE FOLKS THAT HAVE TRANSITIONED IN THE COMMUNITY. IT'S ALSO COST EFFECTIVE. ALL OF THOSE WONDERFUL THINGS, THE DATA THAT YOU PROVIDED. BUT MANY OF THE COUNTIES HAVE NOT IMPLEMENTED IT AND DON'T INTEND TO IMPLEMENT IT UNTIL 2023. SO THAT MAKES IT A LITTLE DIFFICULT FOR FOLKS THAT ARE KIND OF WAITING.

14:50:23 THE OTHER -- I GUESS PIECE OF THAT GAP ELIGIBILITY IS THAT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES HAS A BACKLOG OF FOLKS WITH REGARDS TO APPROVING THE TARS AND WORKING WITH THE CCT COMMUNITY IN ORDER TO DO THOSE TRANSITIONS ON A TIMELY BASIS.

14:50:38 AND THE CRITERIA FOR CALAIM SAYS THAT IF A PERSON IS ELIGIBLE FOR CCT, THEY CANNOT ENROLL IN THE COMMUNITY SUPPORT PROGRAM FOR TRANSITION SERVICES.

14:51:02 SO THERE'S PEOPLE THAT ARE KIND OF RIGHT NOW IN LIMBO, BECAUSE THEY THEORETICALLY COULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR CCT YOU BUT THERE'S A BACKLOG OR THEY DON'T HAVE A CCT PROVIDER IN THEIR AREA TO HELP THEM, AND THEY CANNOT PARTICIPATE THROUGH CALAIM YET BECAUSE EITHER THE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA DOESN'T ALLOW THEM OR THE COUNTY IS NOT PROVIDING THOSE SERVICES YET.

14:51:14 SO I'M WONDERING IF YOU HAVE ANY THOUGHTS ABOUT THAT. IS THAT SOMETHING YOU CAME ACROSS IN SOME OF YOUR RESEARCH AND DISCUSSION WITH SOME OF THE PROVIDERS AND HOW WE MIGHT MITIGATE THAT?

14:51:44 >> GREAT QUESTION. YEAH. SO WE SPOKE, WE DID NOT SPEAK WITH ANY PROVIDERS DURING THIS PROJECT. WE SPOKE TO PLANS AND REALLY WHAT WE HEARD, NOT QUITE GETTING TO YOUR QUESTION BUT THE CLOSEST CONVERSATIONS THAT WE OR THAT WE HAD WITH PLANS AROUND THIS WAS THE FACT THAT IF CCT WAS AVAILABLE, THAT THEY ALMOST DIDN'T SEE THE INITIAL NEED FOR NURSING FACILITY TRANSITION BENEFIT, COMMUNITY SUPPORT BENEFIT,

14:52:01 BECAUSE IT IS SO WELL-PROVEN AND SUCCESSFUL AND IN TERMS OF PRIORITIES FOR PLANS AS THEY WERE WORKING THROUGH THEIR INTERNAL CAPACITY AND PROVIDER CAPACITY, I THINK THAT WAS ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF WHERE CCT IS AVAILABLE AND SUCCESSFUL.

14:52:07 MIGHT HAVE SLOWED UPTAKE IN SOME AREAS. BUT BEYOND THAT, WE DIDN'T GET INTO TOO MUCH MORE.

14:52:21 >> OKAY. BECAUSE I KNOW IN MY COUNTY HERE IN SANTA CLARA COUNTY IS THE TWO PLANS THAT WE HAVE ALWAYS BEEN SAME THROUGH THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS THAT PROBABLY AT LEAST 20 PERCENT OF THEIR PATIENTS WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR TRANSITION SERVICES.

14:52:26 SO THAT'S A FAIRLY SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF PEOPLE.

14:52:38 AND WE'RE JUST REALLY EXCITED ABOUT THE POTENTIAL OF CALAIM, COMMUNITY SUPPORTS AND THE ENHANCED CARE MANAGEMENT AND BEING ABLE TO MOVE MORE PEOPLE INTO THE COMMUNITY.

14:52:40 THANK YOU AGAIN FOR YOUR REPORT.

14:52:53 >> GREAT. THANK YOU, SHERI, FOR HIGHLIGHTING THOSE IMPORTANT QUESTIONS AND ISSUES. SO MENA, WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU.

14:53:02 >> GOOD AFTERNOON, EVERYBODY. SO, I GUESS EVERY TIME I LOOK AT CALAIM THERE'S SOMETHING THAT DAWNS ON ME THAT DIDN'T DAWN ON ME THE LAST TIME

14:53:19 SO THESE 14 SUPPORTS ARE NOT REQUIRED. THEY'RE OPTIONAL. CORRECT? AND WILL THERE EVER BE A DAY WHERE THEY WILL ALL BE REQUIRED OR NO? WE DON'T KNOW?

14:53:48 >> I WELCOME ANYBODY FROM DHCS. IF THEY ARE IN A IN LIEU OF SERVICE, WHICH IS A FEDERAL REGULATION OR GUIDANCE CLASSIFICATION, IF THEY ARE STILL IN LIEU OF SERVICE, NO, BECAUSE BY NATURE, IT IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PLANS TO DECIDE, IT WOULD BE IN LIEU OF A DIFFERENT SERVICE. THERE'S AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THESE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED IN OTHER WAYS THROUGH OTHER MECHANISMS.

14:53:50 BUT AS AN IN LIEU OF SERVICE, NO.

14:54:13 >> OKAY. SO THEN MY FOLLOW-ON QUESTION TO THAT, IT'S JUST SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT GOING FORWARD, IS THINKING OF FOLKS THAT I HEAR FROM. I GET CALLS FROM WHO ARE MAYBE DISABLED OR MEDIMEDI. THEY ARE NOT IMMEDIATELY AT RISK OF NURSING HOME PLACEMENT.

14:54:34 HOWEVER THEY NEED HELP. THIS IS A GREAT BUCKET OF SERVICES. BUT LITERALLY THEY MAY NEED -- THE BANK OF ISSUES THAT I HEAR ARE INCREDIBLE. AND THE LACK OF AVAILABILITY FOR ADDITIONAL SERVICES TO KEEP SOMEONE LIVING SAFELY IN THEIR HOME.

14:55:00 IT COULD BE MOLD MITIGATION. IT COULD BE LEGAL SERVICES. FINANCIAL PLANNING AND SO FORTH. NONE OF THAT IS HERE NOW. BUT HOW WOULD WE GET TO A POINT WHERE THEY'RE DEALING WITH A PROVIDER AND THEIR PROVIDER CAN PROVIDE THEM SOME KIND OF LINK TO A PRO BONO OR LOW COST SERVICE THAT COULD ASSIST THEM WITH THESE ADDITIONAL ELEMENTS THEY NEED TO REMAIN IN THE COMMUNITY.

14:55:07 AND WE MAY NOT HAVE ANY ANSWERS TODAY, BUT I'LL KEEP KIND OF FLAGGING THAT.

14:55:19 >> THESE ARE REALLY IMPORTANT POINTS TO RAISE. AND I'M GLAD THIS IS BEING RECORDED, BECAUSE I THINK IT'S A GREAT RECORD. THIS IS A PERFECT PLACE FOR THIS COMMITTEE TO BE WEIGHING IN. I THINK THIS VOICE IS SO IMPORTANT AS CALAIM MOVES FORWARD.

14:55:37 SO NINA, THANK YOU FOR THOSE COMMENTS. AND IF ANYBODY HAS ANY RESPONSE TO THAT, LET US KNOW. BUT I WANT TO BE SURE TO TURN TO MARTY OMOTO WHO ALWAYS HAS IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS TO RAISE ON BEHALF OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, AND PARTICULARLY OUR DEVELOPMENT TALLY DISABLED POPULATION PARTNERS. MARTY.

14:55:59 >> THANK YOU, SARAH. AND THANKS, BRI, FOR THE PRESENTATION. IT WAS VERY INFORMATIVE. OBVIOUSLY IT RAISES A LOT OF QUESTIONS. I'M MARTY OMOTO, CALIFORNIA DISABILITY COMMUNITY ACTION NETWORK. I'M ALSO A FAMILY MEMBER. MY OLDER SISTER HAD DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, WAS A MED I MEDI WHEN SHE WAS ALIVE

14:56:13 AND CURRENTLY EXTENDED FAMILY UNPAID CAREGIVER TO 29-YEAR-OLD WITH DOWN'S SYNDROME. HE LIVES WITH ME. I'VE KNOWN HIM SINCE HE WAS SEVEN. HE'S ALSO A MEDIMEDI.

14:56:25 YOU MENTIONED HOW DIFFICULT IT IS TO NAVIGATE THROUGH BOTH SYSTEMS. IT WAS TRUE WHEN MY SISTER WAS ALIVE AND IT'S TRUE NOW. THERE HAVE BEEN IMPROVEMENTS. THAT LEADS TO MY QUESTION, THOUGH.

14:56:44 AND I APPRECIATE, SHERI, YOU MENTIONING THE ISSUE OF ACCESS IN TERMS OF FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE DEAF. WE AS A COMMITTEE HAVE TO DRILL THAT DOWN EVERY TIME WE TALK ABOUT CHANGE. AND SHERI, I'M LOOKING RIGHT AT YOU. THANK YOU, THANK YOU FOR RAISING THAT ISSUE.

14:56:53 AND WE GOT TOGETHER TO RAISE IT ON THE ISSUE OF EQUITY AND ACCESS. AND KEVIN MENTIONED IT TOO IN TERMS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MASTER PLAN.

14:57:05 BECAUSE IF WE DON'T PRACTICE IT, IF THAT'S NOT SOMETHING ON OUR MINDS AND EVERYTHING WE DO, THEN WE CAN'T EXPECT OTHERS TO DO IT, BECAUSE WE KNOW BETTER. AND WE NEED TO PRACTICE IT.

14:57:21 AND THE PROBLEM I THINK THAT'S CONFRONTING US WITH THESE CHANGES, WHICH I REALLY APPLAUD AND HAVE BEEN INVOLVED FOR THE LAST COUPLE OF YEARS IN THIS IS HOW DO WE REACH DOWN TO THE PEOPLE WHO ACTUALLY NEED THIS.

14:57:34 AND I'M LOOKING AT SILVA, YEE, GABRIEL AND OTHERS, HOW DO WE REACH THE PEOPLE THEY SERVE OR MY FAMILY? SO THEY UNDERSTAND WHAT IS HAPPENING AND HOW CAN THEY BENEFIT FROM THIS.

14:57:56 AND IT'S NOT REACHING THEM YET. AND I THINK WE ALL HAVE TO WORK TOGETHER ON HOW TO MAKE THAT HAPPEN SO THAT PEOPLE IN THEIR HOMES OR IN THE COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS THAT SERVE THE PEOPLE WHO NEED SERVICES OR NEED HELP, THEY CAN TRANSLATE EXACTLY WHAT IS HAPPENING IN CALAIM.

14:58:27 BECAUSE I THINK MOST OF US CAN MAKE THE CASE THAT MOST PEOPLE DON'T KNOW WHAT CALAIM IS DOING. AND IT'S A GOOD -- IT IS PROVIDING GOOD BENEFITS FOR PEOPLE WHO CAN ACTUALLY BE HELPFUL AT A TIME WHEN THERE MAY NOT BE ANOTHER SERVICE AVAILABLE. SO SOMEHOW WE'RE GOING TO HAVE TO IDENTIFY IN WORKING TOGETHER ABOUT WHAT'S THE TRAINING AND ENGAGEMENT THAT WE NEED TO DO TO REACH PEOPLE SO THEY UNDERSTAND WHAT'S AVAILABLE.

14:58:41 AND THAT'S SOME OF THIS IS WHERE WE TALKED ABOUT IN OUR ACTION STEPS AND LOOKING AT PATTI IN TERMS OF THE HOUSING SUBCOMMITTEE ABOUT ENGAGEMENT AS AABLE STEPS. SO I'LL ADDRESS THAT MORE LATER.

14:58:56 SO THANK YOU, BRI. AND I DON'T KNOW IF THERE'S AN ANSWER TO THE QUESTION OF HOW DO WE REACH THE PEOPLE THAT ACTUALLY THIS IS MEANT TO BE A HELP TO. AND AGAIN, THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRESENTATION.

14:59:11 >> THANK YOU FOR THE COMMENT. IT'S VERY IMPORTANT WHAT WE HEARD, WE TALKED WITH A NUMBER OF PLANS ABOUT. AND THIS WAS, MIND YOU, WE STARTED OUR CONVERSATIONS WITH PLANS IN LATE DECEMBER.

14:59:24 THEY LAUNCHED THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS IN JANUARY. JANUARY 1. SO WE HAD SOME CONVERSATIONS IN JANUARY. BUT I WOULD SAY IT'S PRE-IMPLEMENTATION IS WHAT WE LOOKED AT. I WOULD BE VERY INTERESTED TO LOOK AT IMPLEMENTATION AND UNDERSTAND THE ROLLOUT.

14:59:43 BECAUSE THE CONVERSATIONS WE HAD IN EARLY JANUARY A FEW WEEKS INTO OFFERING COMMUNITY SUPPORTS, WE WERE HEARING FROM PLANS, WELL, WE SET UP THIS INFRASTRUCTURE TO LET BENEFICIARIES KNOW AND TO LET CARE MANAGERS KNOW AND FOLKS HELP THEM NAVIGATE ACCESSING COMMUNITY SUPPORTS.

15:00:05 AND THERE WAS SO MUCH CONFUSION. THERE WAS A LOT OF CONFUSION AROUND, OH, WE'RE OFFERING MEALS AND GETTING CALLS TO SAY, OH, I WANT MEALS. BUT IT'S DIFFERENT, RIGHT? AND GETTING THE INFORMATION TO THE RIGHT PEOPLE IS SOMETHING PLANS ARE WORKING THROUGH. YOU ALL ARE A GREAT GROUP TO CONTINUE THAT CONVERSATION AND SHARE LESSONS.

15:00:23 >> YEP. COULDN'T AGREE MORE. I THINK THIS IS SUCH AN IMPORTANT CONVERSATION. AND I ALSO THINK IT COMES TO ENSURING THAT WE CAN LEVERAGE THINGS LIKE THE PATH FUNDING AND

GET OUR CBOS AT THE LOCAL LEVEL TO ALSO BE HELPING RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT THE SERVICES AVAILABLE AND BECOME PARTNERS IN IT.

15:00:45 SO REALLY IMPORTANT CONSIDERATION. SO CATHY KELLY, I SEE YOUR HAND RAISED. WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU, ESPECIALLY GIVEN WE HEARD A LOT ABOUT THE RELATIVELY LOWER UPTAKE OF THE RESPITE CARE COMMUNITY SUPPORT AND WOULD LOVE ANY INPUT OR FEEDBACK YOU HAVE OR QUESTIONS ON THOSE ISSUES.

15:01:18 >> THANK YOU. IT WAS A GREAT REPORT. I WASN'T NECESSARILY SURPRISED ABOUT THE LOW UPTAKE OF RESPITE. I THINK IT'S A RELATIVELY NEW CONCEPT IN THIS WORLD. AND ALSO IT REQUIRES THAT THERE'S SOME IDENTIFICATION OF THE CAREGIVER INVOLVED, WHICH IS USUALLY A FAMILY MEMBER OR FRIEND TO IDENTIFY AND PERHAPS ASSESS THEIR NEEDS FOR RESPITE-TYPE SERVICES

15:01:31 I'M GOING TO SAY A FEW WORDS FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF THE CAREGIVER RESOURCES WHICH HAVE BEEN PROVIDING RESPITE TO UNPAID FAMILY CAREGIVERS FOR OVER THREE DECADES.

15:01:49 AND IN CONJUNCTION WITH LOOKING AT THE VALUES AND PREFERENCES OF THE FAMILY AND THE INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING THESE KINDS OF SERVICES, HAVE A BROADER RANGE OF CHOICES AND OPTIONS WITHIN HOME BEING CONSUMER DIRECTED FOR BY AGENCY DAY CARE AND FACILITIES.

15:02:00 AND EACH HAVE THEIR PLACE, AND SEICHE HAVE THE OPTIONS MIGHT ACTUALLY TURN OUT TO BE THE BEST OPTION, GIVEN ANY GIVEN SITUATION.

15:02:21 SO IT'S NOT ONE OPTION OR ANOTHER, IT'S WORKING WITH THE FAMILY TO MAKE THAT CHOICE. THE INTERESTING ISSUE THAT WAS POINTED OUT AMONG SOME OF THE RESEARCH AND IN THE REPORT WAS THAT RESPITE WAS FAR MORE EFFECTIVE IF IT WAS WRAPPED AROUND OTHER KINDS OF SERVICES. AND THEY ARE THROUGH A COMMON ASSESSMENT WITH OUR CLIENTS.

15:02:36 AND THE OTHER SERVICES THAT EDUCATION AND TRAINING WHICH WAS MENTIONED SPECIFICALLY BUT ALSO ALL THE EMOTIONAL SUPPORT ISSUES, SUPPORT GROUPS AND COUNSELING AND LEGAL, FINANCIAL PLANNING AND SO ON ARE ALL WRAPPED IN.

15:03:10 SO RESPITE IS PART OF THE MIX OF THAT FOR THE CLIENTS. THE CLIENT NEED OR THE TYPE OF CARE THAT THE FAMILY IS PROVIDING IS VERY SIMILAR TO THE KINDS OF OBSERVATIONS OF THE INDIVIDUALS WITHIN THESE PROGRAMS WHICH IS, OF COURSE, HIGHER NEED CLIENTS, CARE RECIPIENTS ARE 90 PERCENT INDICATE 90 PERCENT HIGH CARE NEEDS BY NUMBER OF HOURS PROVIDED EACH WEEK.

15:03:33 AND ADLS AND IDLS AND MEDICAL TASKS THAT ARE PROVIDED. WITH THE REQUISITE THAT OUR FAMILIES ARE UNPAID FAMILY CAREGIVERS, AND 70 PERCENT DO NOT HAVE ANY PAID SUPPORT, AND 40 PERCENT HAVE UNMET NEEDS BY FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO PROVIDE SUPPORT AS WELL.

15:03:58 BUT REGARDLESS OF LAST YEAR WHEN WE WERE DEALING WITH COVID AND ALL SORTS OF OTHER SHORTAGES AND WORKFORCE AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES BEING CLOSED AND SO ON, THE CRC SYSTEM PROVIDED A RESPITE TO 3,259 CAREGIVERS WITH OVER 40,000 HOURS OF RESPITE CARE.

15:04:10 I WOULD HAVE TO SAY THIS IS MOSTLY THROUGH THE CONSUMER DIRECTED OPTION, BECAUSE THAT WAS PRETTY MUCH WHAT WAS AVAILABLE. THE OTHER OPTIONS I MENTIONED EARLIER, YOU KNOW, WERE NOT PRESENT.

15:04:25 SO WHAT STRUCK ME IS LOOKING AT THE UPTAKE OF RESPITE, THERE'S A NUMBER OF THINGS. FIRST IS THE CHOICE IN OPTIONS WITHIN RESPITE NEED TO MEET THE VALUES AND PREFERENCES AND THE CURRENT SITUATION FOR THE NEED FOR RESPITE, OBVIOUSLY.

15:04:47 IN SOME RURAL AREAS AND IN DIVERSE COMMUNITIES WHERE LANGUAGE IS A PARTICULAR ISSUE, SOMETIMES THAT'S THE MOST LIKELY OPTION. THAT'S AVAILABLE. THIS IS PARTICULARLY TRUE IN RURAL COMMUNITIES FOR IN-HOME CARE OPTIONS THAT RESPITE REALLY SHOULD BE WRAPPED AROUND A VARIETY OF OTHER SUPPORTIVE SERVICES.

15:04:51 WITH SOME KIND OF COMMON ASSESSMENT THAT IS PROVIDED.

15:05:21 AND THERE NEEDS TO BE ASSISTANCE ALSO WITH THE ACCESSING RESPITE. A LOT OF THE WORK THAT'S DONE IN PROVIDING RESPITE TO FAMILIES IS ACTUALLY HELPING THEM EITHER LOCATE AND ARRANGE FOR AND TRAIN THE FAMILY MEMBER ABOUT EMPLOYING TEMPORARY HELP IN THE HOME OR FINDING THE DAY CARE PROGRAMS OR THE FACILITIES AND TALKING THROUGH WHAT MIGHT BE THE BEST OPTIONS.

15:05:36 BUT ALSO HELPING THEM ACCESS THOSE OPTIONS AS WELL. SO THERE'S A VARIETY OF THINGS THAT COULD BE PUT IN TO PLAY TO IMPROVE THE ACCESSIBILITY AND ALSO THE UPTAKE OF RESPITE WITHIN THE CALAIM PROGRAMS.

15:06:01 AND SO WE'D BE MORE THAN HAPPY TO TALK ABOUT OUR EXPERIENCE, OUR DEEP EXPERIENCE IN THIS AREA, YOU KNOW, WITH DEPARTMENTS OR WITH OTHER HEALTH PLANS TO TRY TO PAVE THE WAY FOR PROVIDING THIS KIND OF NEEDED OPTION TO INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE ALREADY PROVIDING DIRECT ASSISTANCE TO THE PERSON IN THE HOME. THANK YOU.

15:06:20 >> THANK YOU. THAT'S WONDERFUL. AND I LOVE THE IDEA OF THE CONVERSATION PLANS AND THINKING THROUGH WAYS TO OUTREACH. SO I KNOW WE HAVE -- WE'RE GOING TO HEAR FROM LYDIA AND MICHELLE AND THEN WE'RE GOING TO TURN TO OUR HOUSING SUBCOMMITTEE FOR THEIR UPDATE WHICH MARTY WILL LEAD ON.

15:06:24 SO LYDIA, TAKE IT AWAY.

15:06:34 >> OKAY. I KNOW IN THE INTEREST OF TIME I HAVE SO MANY THOUGHTS THAT HAVE EMERGED JUST FROM LISTENING TO ALL OF YOU AS WELL AS READING THE REPORT, WHICH WAS VERY INTERESTING.

15:06:51 WE FORMED QUITE A WHILE AGO A COMMITTEE THAT IS NOW MEETING MONTHLY WITH MCPS AND THE CBASS PROVIDER COMMUNITY. SO THAT HAS BEEN VERY HELPFUL IN EXCHANGING IDEAS AND COMMUNICATION.

15:07:09 SO SOME OF WHAT I'M COMMENTING ON OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THAT I'LL QUICKLY SHARE ARE INFORMED BY THAT PLUS OUR WEEKLY COUPLE-HOUR MEETINGS WITH THE PROVIDER COMMUNITY AND THEIR TO GET THEIR EXPERIENCES, FEEDBACK, GUIDANCE, DURING THIS PANDEMIC TIME ESPECIALLY.

15:07:23 SO FIRST OF ALL, THE BEST PRACTICES SHARING, BRI, I THOUGHT VERY GOOD, VERY IMPORTANT. I THINK ALL OF US WOULD WELCOME THAT AND THE MANAGED CARE PLANS, CERTAINLY WOULD AS WELL.

15:07:41 I'VE BEEN WONDERING ABOUT DATA GATHERING AND HOW WE AS THOSE OF US WHO ARE MONITORING THIS AND CARE ABOUT HOW SUCCESSFUL CALAIM IS AND PARTICULARLY THESE SERVICES THAT ARE NEW, HOW DATA GATHERING AND REPORTING WILL HAPPEN.

15:07:55 AND THE REASON I BRING THAT UP RIGHT NOW IS IT WAS VERY INTERESTING TO HEAR ONE OF THE MANAGED CARE PLANS SAY THAT FOR COMMUNITY SERVICES THEY'LL BE DELEGATING THAT TO THEIR MEDICAL GROUPS.

15:08:09 SO THEN THE QUESTION CAME UP, WELL, THAT'S GREAT. THOSE ARE THE PEOPLE WHO DO SEE THE MEMBERS ALL THE TIME AND UNDERSTAND THEIR CONDITIONS. I DON'T KNOW IF THEY UNDERSTAND FULLY THEIR SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF CARE KIND OF ISSUES.

15:08:24 BUT HOW THEN IS THAT INFORMATION GOING TO GET TRANSMITTED TO THE MANAGED CARE PLAN AND WHO SORT OF COORDINATING ALL OF THAT? BECAUSE THERE'S ALWAYS CONCERN WHEN WE HAVE THESE CONVERSATIONS WITH MANAGED CARE ABOUT DUPLICATION OF SERVICES.

15:08:51 AND I THINK THAT'S TOP OF MIND FOR RETROSPECTIVE AUDITS AND SO ON. AND THEN I NOTICED IN THE REPORT AND THEN LOOKING AT THE DHCS GUIDANCE AROUND RESPITE, WHICH KATHY GAVE US A WONDERFUL SUMMARY ABOUT SOME OF THE BARRIERS AND NEEDS THAT THERE'S A CONFLICT BETWEEN WHAT DHCS HAS IN THEIR GUIDANCE AS TO WHO'S A QUALIFIED PROVIDER AND WHAT BRI ARTICULATED IN HER REPORT.

15:08:59 SO I THINK THAT ILLUSTRATES A LOT OF CONFUSION ABOUT WHAT IS AND ISN'T AVAILABLE AND BY WHOM.

15:09:22 AND THEN ALSO I JUST WORRY ABOUT THE I THINK SOMEBODY RAISED EARLIER THE PROVIDERS WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY CONTRACTED WITH MANAGED CARE, BELIEVE ME, WE'VE BEEN THROUGH IT. THE CONTRACTS THAT YOU GET ARE LAWYERLY, THEY'RE DESIGNED FOR MEDICAL GROUPS AND OTHER MEDICAL PROVIDERS, AND THEY DO NOT SPEAK AT ALL TO COMMUNITY-BASED PROVIDERS OUT THERE.

15:09:42 SO IF THERE'S ANY WAY TO HAVE SOME FLEXIBILITY ON THAT PROCESS AND IF THERE'S WAYS TO CONNECT AND GET EXPERIENCED PROVIDERS IN THE MIX HERE WITHOUT HAVING TO GO THROUGH THAT HUGE CONTRACTING PROCESS AND CREDENTIALING AND ALL OF THAT, BOY, THAT WOULD JUST OPEN UP THE WORLD TO PEOPLE WHO NEED THESE SERVICES.

15:10:54 >> I THINK THOSE ARE GREAT IDEAS. I AM JUST THROWING IT OUT THERE. IT'S UP TO YOU BUT THERE IS NOTHING TO PREVENT US FROM ESTABLISHING A SUB GROUP ON CALAIM OF THIS COMMITTEE TO FOCUS AND HONE IN ON THESE ISSUES AND TO ESTABLISH THE ONGOING DIALOGUE AND I AM SENSITIVE TO TIME RIGHT NOW BUT I THINK THAT MICHELLE, IT'S SO IMPORTANT FOR US TO HEAR FROM YOU NOW. YOU ARE EXPERIENCING THESE ISSUES. YOU ARE SUCH AN IMPORTANT VOICE AS AN ADVOCATE BUT AS A CONSUMER, WHO IS DUAL ELIGIBLE MEDICAL

15:11:01 AND MEDICARE AND I WOULD LOVE WHAT YOU HAVE TO OFFER REGARDING THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS.

15:11:42 >> THANK YOU, SARAH. IT'S SO HARD TO ADVOCATE FOR SOME OF THESE SERVICES AND I THINK AS CONSUMER OF THESE SERVICES, WE DON'T ALWAYS KNOW WHAT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE. I THINK THE BIGGEST THING IS THERE IS ALL OF THESE NEW PROGRAMS AND NEW SERVICES THAT ARE OUT THERE AND THE OUTREACH AND THE PLANS THAT IS OUT THERE IT'S NOT THERE TO GET TO THE CONSUMER LEVEL SOMETIMES AND I THINK THAT'S WHERE ALL THESE SERVICES NEED TO COORDINATE TOGETHER TO MAKE SURE THAT

15:12:21 WE, AS CONSUMERS, NOT ONLY KNOW WHAT IS AVAILABLE FOR US BUT HAVE AN AVENUE OF ACCESS FOR THOSE SERVICES SO THAT WE CAN ACCESS THOSE SERVICES TO BENEFIT US IN THE BEST WAY. SO MANY TIMES WHEN I WAS ACCESSING MY SERVICES, I WAS STRAIGHT MEDI-CAL FOR MORE THAN TWENTY YEARS AND THEN I GOT METI-METI AND THE SERVICES DIVIDED BETWEEN THE TWO IS A HARD NAVIGATE FOR ANY PROGRAM BUT THEN TO BE THROWN INTO BOTH, IT'S DIFFICULT.

15:12:34 BUT ACCESS AND HAVING ADVOCATES AND OTHER PEOPLE WHO KNOW THE SERVICES, BEING ABLE TO HELP AND PROVIDE A SERVICE TO MAKE SURE THAT THERE IS NO GAPS IN SERVICES IS IMPORTANT. THANK YOU.

15:12:54 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THAT, MICHELLE ROWSEY. I AM PLEASED THAT WE HAVE THE DIRECTOR OF OUR HEALTHCARE SERVICES, MICHELLE BASS WITH US. THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE AND WELCOME ANY REFLECTIONS THAT YOU HAVE.

15:13:17 >> THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY. I HAD TO TAKE A CALL FROM 2:30-3:00. I DIDN'T HEAR MOST OF THE CONVERSATION, JUST MAYBE HEARD THE LAST THREE MINUTES AND I WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE COMMENTS AND THE GOAL TO ENGAGE FURTHER ON CALAIM AND HOW DO WE GET MORE COMMUNITY-BASED PROVIDERS TO REALLY BE KIND OF OUR IMPLEMENTERS OF SOME OF THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS. LOOK FORWARD TO FUTURE CONVERSATIONS. I WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE I DID HEAR SOME OF THE COMMENTS BUT NOT THE ENTIRE CONVERSATION.

15:13:23 I THINK DEFINITELY COMMITTED TO ENGAGE EGG MORE ON THAT.

15:13:26 ENGAGING MORE ON THAT.

15:13:48 >> THANK YOU SO MUCH, DIRECTOR AND WE WILL GIVE YOU A SUMMARY OF WHAT WE HEARD AND CAN EXPLORE HOW TO CONTINUE THIS CONVERSATION. SO SNOU I WANT TO TURN IT OVER TO DIRECTOR DEMARNOIS WHO WILL CONTINUE ON TO THE NEXT PHASE OF OUR AGENDA. THANK YOU ALL FOR A WONDERFUL CONVERSATION AND THANK YOU, BRI, FOR A TREMENDOUS DISCUSSIONING.

15:14:02 >> THANK YOU. THAT WAS A WONDERFUL DISCUSSION. GREAT COMMENTS. I LOVE THE IDEA OF A SMALL CALAIM WORKING GROUP BECAUSE TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE, AS THAT WORK MOVES FORWARD QUICKLY.

15:14:20 WE ARE NOW GOING TO MOVE TO OUR NEXT TOPIC, BUILDING FROM THE STRENGTH OF OUR COMMITTEE. MARTY OMOTO, MARTY, THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR STEPPING UP AND LEADING AS YOU DO SO WELL SO OFTEN, AND ORGANIZING MEMBERS OF THIS COMMITTEE.

15:14:39 AND OTHERS AROUND THE HOUSING FOR ALL AGES AND STAGES TOPIC. AND REALLY PROVIDING THAT BACKBONE FOR OUR WORKING GROUP ON HOUSING. MARTY AND PATTI, WHO IS

ALREADY WELL-ESTABLISHED IN THIS SPACE AND OUR CO-CHAIR. MARTY AND PATTI ARE NOW GOING TO CHAIR WITH US THE WORK THAT HAS BEEN HAPPENING BETWEEN MEETINGS. THANK YOU BOTH !

15:15:03 >> THANK YOU. I WILL GO FIRST. AND FIRST OF ALL, I WANT TO THANK THE DEPARTMENT FOR PROVIDING THE RESOURCES FOR US TO DO THE MEETINGS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE. WITHOUT THAT, WE COULDN'T HAVE DONE IT, AND, ALSO, TO PATTI AND THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE. AND PROVIDING THE TIME AND EFFORT TO DO THESE MEETINGS.

15:15:42 WE MET SEVERAL TIMES SINCE THE FULL COMMITTEE HAS MET, AND WE DID AGREE ON A COUPLE OF THINGS. ONE OF THEM WAS THAT THE PRIORITIES THAT WE WOULD WORK TOWARDS WERE GOING TO BE ACTIONABLE MEANING THESE WERE STEPS THAT WE CAN TAKE THAT CAN ACTUALLY MOVE FORWARD AN ISSUE OR PROPOSAL. IN THE SAME WAY THAT WE ADOPTED THAT MINDSET FOR THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING, WHICH I THOUGHT WAS REMARKABLE AND I AM LOOKING AT YOU AND SARAH AND ACTUALLY CLAIRE.

15:16:18 WHEN WE ALL WORKED TOGETHER IN THE SUBCOMMITTEES AND WE REALLY FOCUSED ON ACTIONABLE ITEMS AND WHAT DEVELOPED FROM THAT AND I THINK WAS REALLY PROOF THAT THAT IS AN IMPORTANT WAY TO WORK IS THAT WE CAME UP WITH -- WE ALL HAD A MASTER PLAN THAT ACTUALLY WAS [COUGHING] ACTIONABLE AND A LOT OF THE THINGS THAT WE SEE HAPPEN NOW ARE THINGS THAT ARE LARGELY DUE BECAUSE OF THAT AND BELIEVE ME IN ALL OF THE WORK THAT I HAVE DONE AND MANY OF US FOR THE LAST 20 YEARS, WE HAD NOT SEEN THAT BEFORE.

15:16:50 TO ACTUALLY SOMETHING CAN HAPPEN, AND I THINK BASED ON THAT, OUR SUBCOMMITTEE HAS TAKEN THAT APPROACH AND DEFINITELY ONE OF THE ISSUES AND PATTI WILL SPEAK TO IT WAS THE ISSUE OF HOUSING STABILIZATION. AND SHE WILL SPEAK TO THAT AND PROVIDE AN UPDATE ON THAT. BUT THE OTHER ACTION STEPS WE TOOK WAS MAKING SURE THAT WE AGREE THAT THERE WAS AN INTERSECTION OF EQUITY, OF THE ISSUES OF TRANSPORTATION AND MICHELLE, YOU HAVE ALWAYS AND DEBBIE, HAVE RAISED THAT ISSUE CONSTANTLY.

15:17:26 THERE WAS AN INTERSECTION OF THOSE ISSUES OF EQUITY AND TRANSPORTATION SUPPORTS AND YOU CAN'T DO ONE WITHOUT THE OTHER AND THE OTHER ISSUE IS ACCESS, INCLUDING LANGUAGE THAT SHERI AND LISA HAVE ADVOCATED SO STRONGLY AND ALWAYS REMIND US OF. BASED ON THAT, WE, ALSO, FOCUSED IN ON SOME ACTIONABLE STEPS AND ONE OF THEM WAS TO RAISE AND ASK THE COMMITTEE TO HAVE A PRESENTATION ON CALAIM, FOCUS ON COMMUNITY SUPPORTS AND, ALSO, TOUCHING ON THE ISSUE OF HOUSING, WHICH THIS COMMITTEE HAS DONE.

15:18:01 AND WE, ALSO, WANT TO FURTHER ENGAGE WITH THE MANAGED CARE PLANS AND WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTHCARE SERVICES AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS ON THE ISSUE OF COMMUNITY SUPPORTS AND HOUSING AND MAYBE IF SARAH, YOUR IDEA OR SUGGESTION TO FORM A WORK GROUP ON CALAIM, IT WILL ADDRESS THAT ISSUE. THE OTHER WAS MANY OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS IDENTIFIED THE NEED, THE URGENT NEED NOW TO ENGAGE WITH LOCAL HOUSING AUTHORITIES AND LOCAL HOUSING PROGRAMS EITHER RUN BY THE COUNTIES AND FOR ALL OF US TO

15:18:36 AND COMMUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER. THAN INCLUDES REGIONAL CENTERS, COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS AND PEOPLE WHO ARE DEAF, PEOPLE WITH MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES, AND TO ACTUALLY ENGAGE AND MOVE ON THAT AND ONE IDEA WAS TO ACTUALLY TO SEE IF OUR

SUBCOMMITTEE CAN DO A SERIES OF WEBINARS KIND OF BASED ON-I AM LOOKING AT YOU SARAH- WEDNESDAY WEBINARS THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGING HAS SUCCESSFULLY DONE. I HAVE SAT ON A COUPLE OF THOSE. THOSE ARE AMAZING.

15:18:55 THEY ARE NOT LONG. WE ARE CONSCIOUS OF NOT OVER TAXING THE RESOURCES AT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGING. I AM LOOKING AT YOU, SUSAN. WE WILL BE CAREFUL HOW WE APPROACH IT BUT WE THINK IF WE DO AN WEBINAR THAT ACTUALLY MOVES AND TAKES ACTION ON THESE THINGS, WE WOULD INVITE THE FULL COMMITTEE TO PARTICIPATE AS WELL.

15:19:28 LASTLY, I THINK IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT THAT WE TAKE THE STEPS AND AS AN ACTION STEP TO IDENTIFY THOSE EXISTING STATE LAWS THAT ACTUALLY CREATE BARRIERS TO HOUSING AND ACCESSING HOUSING, AND WE CAN TALK MORE ABOUT THAT LATER. AND I WANT TO FIRST OF ALL TURN IT OVER TO PATTI AND THEN OPEN IT UP TO THE SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS TO WEIGH IN ON ANY POINTS THAT I DIDN'T RAISE OR IF YOU WANT TO ADD TO IT. SO PATTI.

15:19:47 >> THANK YOU, MARTY, AND IT'S REALLY BEEN WONDERFUL TO HAVE MARTY LEAD THIS GROUP. HE HAS VERY COLLABORATIVE AND INTERSECTIONAL WAYS OF LOOKING AT THE NEED FOR HOUSING FOR OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES AND THE WAYS IN WHICH WE CAN ADVANCE COMMUNITY LIVING.

15:20:28 BUT VERY GROUNDED IN REALITY. VERY GROUNDED IN WHAT CAN WE GET DONE. I REALLY APPRECIATE THAT AND THE EFFORTS OF THE GROUP. MARTY MENTIONED A COUPLE OF THINGS THAT I WANT TO TOUCH ON. I THINK THE TALK ABOUT EQUITY. EQUITY IS REALLY CRUCIAL AND FOUNDATIONAL TO ALL OF OUR WORK BUT IN HOUSING WHERE WE HAVE SO MUCH OF A HISTORY OF DISCRIMINATION AND STRUCTURAL INEQUITIES THAT HAVE PERSISTED OVER TIME, I THINK IT'S JUST GOT TO BE CORE OF HOW WE APPROACH OLDER ADULT HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING

15:21:08 INSTABILITY. THE IDEA OF COMMUNITY SUPPORTS AND HOUSING. I WAS REALLY PLEASED TO HEAR THIS PRESENTATION TODAY ON CALAIM, BUT I THINK WE REALLY WANT TO SEE THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS THAT RELATE TO HOUSING LIFTED UP IN THEIR IMPORTANCE AND THE HOUSE REACH THAT THERE ARE TENANCY LOCATION AND NAVIGATION AND THERE ARE TENANCY NAVIGATION AND BIG MENU FRONT AND CENTER AND WE WANT TO SEE IT IN THE CALAIM EFFORTS.

15:21:49 ONE OF THE THINGS WE TALKED ABOUT THAT OVERLAPS WITH THE CONVERSATION THAT WE JUST HAD IS THAT IT'S SO IMPORTANT THAT THE PEOPLE WHO CAN BENEFIT FROM THIS, PEOPLE WHO ARE THE PLANNED PARTICIPANTS KNOW ABOUT THE SCOPE OF BENEFITS, HAVE A WAY TO DECIDE WHICH ONES MEET THEIR NEEDS AND TO HAVE A WAY TO ASK FOR THINGS AND DISAGREE WITH A DENIAL OF THOSE SERVICES IF THEY ARE DENIED. SO I THINK SOME NOTICE, SOME DUE PROCESS, AND SOME ABILITY TO REALLY HAVE AN INFORMED AND EDUCATED PATIENT GROUP, W

15:22:23 WHICH IF I LOOK AT ALL OF THESE LOOKING AT THESE MYRIAD 14-DIFFERENT RESULTS AND I THINK HOW ARE WE GOING TO DO THAT, HOW ARE WE GOING TO ACTUALIZE THAT AND THE PIECE I KEEP THINKING OF IS ALL OF THESE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS ARE BASED ON HAVING A HOME. YOU CAN'T DO ANY OF THE OTHER THINGS WITHOUT THAT HOME. SO WE NEED TO KEEP RETURNING TO THAT. THE ONLY THING I WANTED TO MENTION IN TERMS OF ACTIONABLE ITEMS IS THE SUB GROUP DID TAKE A VERY POSITIVE, AFFIRMATIVE

15:23:02 ENDORSEMENT OF A BILL THAT IS BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE RIGHT NOW IN A BUDGET REQUEST, WHICH IS AB 2547 JOINTLY AUTHORIZED BY ASSEMBLYMEMBERS NAZARION AND WHICKS AND THAT BILL WOULD CREATE A HOUSING STABILIZATION PROGRAM THAT IS TARGETED TO PEOPLE WHO ARE AT IMMEDIATE RISK OF HOMELESSNESS OR CURRENTLY UNHOUSED WHO ARE OLDER ADULTS AGE 50 AND OVER OR PEOPLE WITH -- ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES. WE THINK IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT

15:23:25 TO STEP UP OUR GAME IN THE AREA OF HOMELESS PREVENTION BECAUSE WE ARE DOING AN OKAY JOB OF GETTING PEOPLE HOUSED BUT WE CAN'T KEEP UP WITH THE INFLUX OF NEW PEOPLE BECOMING HOMELESS FOR THE FIRST TIME, IS SPECIALLY ACUTELY INCOME OLDER ADULTS AGE 50 AND OLDER WHO ARE BECOMING HOMELESS FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME.

15:24:02 SO THAT BILL JUST TO GIVE YOU AN UPDATE HAS PASSED OUT FAVORABLY FROM HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND FROM AGING AND LONG-TERM CARE. IT IS NOW -- IT WAS HEARD OR IN APPROPRIATIONS AND IS IN SUSPENSION AND WE HAVE A BUDGET REQUEST IN. YOU MAY HAVE HEARD AN ORIGINAL NUMBER THAT WAS \$1.4 BILLION. WE HAVE NOW REVISED THAT NUMBER DOWNWARD TO \$750 MILLION AND WE REALLY LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGING

15:24:32 AND WITH ALL OF THE SISTER AGENCIES THAT ARE INVOLVED IN HOUSING TO STAND UP THIS PROGRAM, BUT WHAT MAKES IT UNIQUE AND REALLY CENTRAL TO THIS COMMITTEE'S WORK IS THAT IT WOULD CREATE MUCH MORE OF A NO WRONG DOOR FOR SERVICES, HOUSING-RELATED SERVICES WHERE LOCAL AREA AGENCIES ON AGING, HOUSING AUTHORITIES, ADRC'S, COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS COULD COME TOGETHER

15:25:21 AND SUBMIT A GRANT TO ADMINISTER THESE SUBSIDIES, AND THAT MEANS THAT IT WILL BE A MUCH MORE -- IT WILL BE MUCH MORE EASIER TO DO OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT WITH THE AGING AND DISABLED COMMUNITIES. I THINK THAT'S ALL I NEED TO SAY. I SEE THAT THERE IS A QUESTION FROM LYDIA. WE HEAR FROM OUR CBAS CENTERS THAT HOUSING INSTABILITY IS A MAJOR ALL HANDS-ON DECK EMERGENCY. THAT STAFF NEED TO SPRING INTO ACTION TO PREVENT ESCALATING TO A CRISIS LEADING TO HOMELESSNESS. PREVENTION IS KEY.

15:25:30 NINA ASKED: IS THE BILL STILL MOVING THIS YEAR? IT IS STILL ALIVE AND MOVING. IS LIZ STILL ON THE CALL?

15:25:31 >> HI, PATTI!

15:25:35 >> HI. DO YOU WANT TO GIVE IN I UPDATE, LIZ?

15:26:08 >> WELL, IT WAS THROUGH APPROPRIATIONS LAST WEEK AND MOVED TO SUSPENSE. OBVIOUSLY WITH A PRICE TAG LIKE THIS OF COURSE IT'S IN SUSPENSE AND I THINK THAT WE ARE LEARNING NEW THINGS ALL ALONG THE WAY. I JUST SENT PATTI SOME AMENDMENTS THAT WE HAVE THAT WILL TAKE THE BILL DOWN IN PRICE. AND I THINK THAT WE ARE LOOKING AT THOSE AND WE CERTAINLY ARE HOPING FOR THE BEST AND IF NOTHING ELSE, THAT WE ARE LEARNING LESSONS THIS YEAR THAT WILL HELP US IN FUTURE YEARS.

15:26:47 BUT I THINK THAT ONE OF THE BIGGEST LESSONS LEARNED IS THAT THE REAL HIGHLIGHT OF THIS BILL AND THE REASON THAT IT'S RESONATING WITH SO MANY IN THE LEGISLATURE IS BECAUSE THE SHALLOW SUBSIDIES IN HOW MANY PEOPLE IT CAN HELP REMAIN HOUSED, WHICH IS SO UNIQUE

TO THIS POPULATION, THESE ARE PEOPLE WHO HAVE HOUSING AND REALLY A SMALL AND VERY SHALLOW SUBSIDY CAN ALLOW THEM TO STAY IN THE HOUSE THAT THEY ARE CHOOSING TO BE IN THAT IS IN THAT COMMUNITY WHERE THEY HOPE TO RESIDE.

15:27:00 SO I THINK WE ARE LEARNING THAT THAT'S REALLY ONE TOUCH POINT IN THIS BILL THAT IS VERY HELPFUL IN MOVING IT FORWARD.

15:27:41 >> THANK YOU. THIS IS LIZ FULLER WHO HAS BEEN A CHAMPION OF THIS BILL AND WE REALLY THANK HER. A COUPLE OF QUICK POINTS. THIS IS OBVIOUSLY ALIGNED WITH THE MAJOR GOAL OF THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING TO END OLDER ADULT HOMELESSNESS. AND IT, ALSO, IT ALLIANCE WITH THE SENATE BUDGET PRIORITY TO CREATE A STABILIZATION FOR OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES TO PREVENT HOMELESSNESS AND RENT STABILITY AND OF COURSE IT IS OF COURSE IT IS ONE OF THE TWO MAJOR ITEMS THAT HAS BEEN CHOSEN AS A P

15:27:54 PRIORITY FOR THE NEXT YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION AND WE REALLY THANK SUSAN AND ALL OF THE CDA STAFF FOR THEIR LEADERSHIP ON THIS AS WELL.

15:28:25 >> SUSAN, THIS IS MARTY. I KNOW THAT WE ARE RUNNING SHORT OF TIME. I THINK WE DO HAVE ONE WHERE WE DID HAVE TWO, I THINK ERIN AND SHELLA HAD QUESTIONS. I KNOW WE HAVE ANOTHER ITEM IN THIS SEGMENT AND WITH THE STAKEHOLDER STATE PERSPECTIVES ON STAKEHOLDER INPUT AND COURTNEY, I DON'T KNOW -- I WILL TURN IT BACK OVER TO YOU SUSAN, HOW YOU WANT TO HANDLE THIS.

15:28:26 >> GREAT. THANK YOU, MARTY.

15:28:28 >> I WOULD RATHER HAVE YOU BE THE BAD GUY.

15:28:30 >> [LAUGHTER].

15:28:31 >> AND THANK YOU.

15:28:51 >> I WOULD SUGGEST I DID SEE AARON AND SHELLA'S HAND AND WE WILL COME BACK TO YOU. LET'S HEAR FROM COURTNEY TACKER, WHO HEADS-UP LOCAL INITIATIVES IN CASE COURTNEY HAS TO LEAVE US. THANK YOU, COURTNEY, FOR BEING HERE.

15:29:08 AFTER COURTNEY SHARES WITH US, WE WILL TAKE OUR BREAK. WE HAVE BEEN ASKING YOU TO STAY WITH US FOR 90 MINUTES NOW AND SO WE WILL TAKE OUR BREAK AND THEN AARON AND SHELLA, WE WILL RESUME WITH YOU WHEN WE RETURN. WELCOME, COURTNEY.

15:29:20 >> GREAT. THANK YOU SO MUCH. I DID HAVE A POWERPOINT I CAN PUT ON THE SCREEN FOR YOU ALL IF I AM ABLE TO TAKE OVER SHARING. OTHERWISE, I CAN JUST SPEAK WITH YOU ALL.

15:29:29 >> YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO TAKE OVER FOR SCREEN SHARING BUT LET US KNOW IF IT GIVES YOU ANY TROUBLE.

15:29:56 >> THERE WE GO. THANK YOU. GREAT. I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PUT IT IN PRESENTATION MODE BUT I WILL GET STARTED WITH YOU ALL. THANK YOU FOR HAVING ME. I AM COURTNEY TACKER, I AM THE DIRECTOR HAVE LOCAL INITIATIVES WITH THE CALIFORNIA INTER-AGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS. I AM HERE TO TODAY TO PROVIDE AN OVERVIEW OF THE CALIFORNIA INTER-

AGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS OR CAL ICH AND THE ACTION PLAN FOR PREVENTING AND ENDING HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA.

15:30:22 I THINK WE WILL TOUCH ON MANY OF THE DISCUSSION POINTS THAT I HEARD SHARED IN THE COMMENTS BEFORE STARTING THIS PRESENTATION. CALIFORNIA INTER-AGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS WAS ESTABLISHED IN 2017 AS THE HOMELESS COORDINATING COUNCIL TO OVERSEE THE HOUSING FIRST POLICY GUIDELINES AND REGULATIONS TO REDUCE THE PREVALENCE AND DURATION OF HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA.

15:30:40 CALIFORNIA IS A HOUSING FIRST STATE, WHICH MEANS IT'S ADOPTED STATUTORY AND REGULATORY LANGUAGE REQUIRING PROGRAMS RECEIVING CERTAIN FUNDING TO UTILIZE A HOUSING FIRST APPROACH, WHICH CENTERS AROUND PROVIDING OR CONNECTING INDIVIDUALS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS TO PERMANENT HOUSING AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.

15:30:55 THE MISSION OF THE COUNCIL IS TO IDENTIFY RESOURCES BENEFITS AND SERVICES TO PREVENT AND WORK TOWARDS ENDING HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA. AS WELL AS INTER-AGENCY COORDINATION AND POLICY DEVELOPMENT.

15:31:20 AS OF JANUARY 1, THE COUNCIL WAS RENAMED THE CALIFORNIA INTER-AGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS. AND RESTRUCTURED TO MORE ACCURATELY REPRESENT THE COUNCIL'S PURPOSE OF BEING A UNIFYING FORCE AND THE STATE'S RESPONSE TO THE HOMELESSNESS CRISIS AND DEEP COLLABORATION ACROSS SYSTEMS TO WORK TOWARDS PREVENTING AND ENDING HOME LESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA.

15:31:49 THE COUNCIL IS CO-CHAIRLED BY THE SECRETARY BUSINESS CONSUMER AND HOUSING AGENCY AND THEN SECRETARY OF THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY AND IS COMPRISED FROM SEVERAL STATE ENTITIES AND INCLUDES FIVE RECENTLY ADDED DEPARTMENTS SUCH AS THE DEPARTMENT OF AGING AND THE DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION TO ENSURE THAT NO AREA IS LEFT OUT OF THE THIS CRITICAL WORK AND FURTHER INTER-AGENCY COLLABORATION AND COORDINATION.

15:32:07 CAL CHS ALSO WORKS WITH SYSTEM OFS CARE INCLUDING CALIFORNIA CONTINUUM OF CARE WHICH ARE REGIONAL OR LOCAL PLANNING BODIES THAT COORDINATE HOUSING AND SERVICES FUNDING FOR FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS.

15:32:42 AS OF THE 2020 THAT WAS CONDUCTED, OVER 169,000 PEOPLE WERE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA WITH THREE QUARTERS OF THOSE EXPERIENCING UNSHELTERED HOMELESSNESS AND ADDITIONALLY THE HOMELESS STATE INTEGRATION SYSTEM LAUNCHED BY CAL ACH LAST APRIL TO PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE VIEW OF THE STATE'S HOMELESSNESS SERVICE PROVISION TELLS US THAT OVER 240,000 PEOPLE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS ACCESS SERVICES FROM THE STATE'S HOMELESSNESS RESPONSE SYSTEM THROUGHOUT 2020.

15:33:14 OF THE INDIVIDUALS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS THAT ACCESS SERVICES, IN 2020, 21% WERE BETWEEN AGE 55 AND OVER AND 42% REPORTED HAVING A DISABILITY. IN MARCH OF LAST YEAR THE COUNCIL RELEASED THE FIRST ACTION PLAN TO PREVENT AND END HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA AND IT FOCUSES ON A VISION FOR THE COUNCIL AND STATE'S WORK TO PREVENT AND END HOMELESSNESS THAT FEATURES INCREASE LEADERSHIP FROM THE STATE FOR IDENTIFYING AND SUPPORTING SHORT-TERM AND LONG-TERM SOLUTIONS.

15:33:29 PURPOSEFUL ACTION ORIENTED COORDINATION AND ALIGNMENT ACROSS STATE AGENCIES AND PROGRAMS AND STRONGER COLLABORATIVE PARTNERSHIPS WITH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PARTNERS AND COMMUNITIES.

15:34:02 THE PLAN COVERS THE STATE'S FISCAL YEAR TO 2023 AND UPDATED THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2023 TO MAKE ANY MODIFICATIONS TO THE PLAN'S OBJECTIVES AND IDENTIFY MORE SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES TO BE IMPLEMENTED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 2022-23. TO ENSURE THAT THE ACTION PLAN REFLECTS THE FULL SCOPE OF WORK OF THE COUNCIL.

15:34:25 IN DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING ITS FIRST EVER ACTION PLAN, CAL ACH IS PURSUING A VISION FOR THE COUNCIL AND STATE'S WORK TO PREVENT AND END HOMELESSNESS BECAUSE IT'S PREVENTED WHEREVER POSSIBLE AND BRIEF AND END QUICKLY WHENEVER IT DOES OCCUR THROUGH A FOCUS ON HOUSING FIRST APPROACHES AND HOUSING OUTCOMES AND ONE TIME EXPERIENCES AND SUCCESSFULLY THE FIRST TIME.

15:34:49 SO NO CALIFORNIANS EXPERIENCE HOMELESSNESS REPEATEDLY AND IT'S NOT JUST MAKING CHANGES IN HOW STATE AGENCIES DOING THEIR WORK BUT TO STRIVE PURPOSEFUL, MEANINGFUL AND MEASURABLE PROGRESS TOWARDS PREVENTING AND ENDING HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA.

15:35:09 THE ACTION PLAN, ALSO, LAYS OUT THE PRINCIPLES AS FOLLOWS, HOMELESSNESS IN CALIFORNIA REFLECTS STARK RACIAL INEQUITIES AND THE RACIAL MAKEUP OF PEOPLE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS DOES NOT MIRROR THE RACIAL MAKEUP OF THE GENERAL POPULATION IN THE STATE.

15:35:39 CALIFORNIA IS COMMITTED TO TACKLING HOMELESSNESS THROUGH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS ACTION PLAN. SECONDLY, CREATING SOLUTIONS FOR THE FULL DIVERSITY OF PEOPLE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS. STRATEGIES. ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS MUST BE TRAUMA INFORMED AND TAILORED TO ADDRESS THE SPECIFIC NEEDS OF PEOPLE WITH DIFFERENT EXPERIENCES AND IDENTITIES TO SUPPORT PROGRESS FOR PREVENTING HOME LESSNESS FOR ALL PEOPLE AND SEEKING

15:36:17 WITH PEOPLE LIVED EXPERIENCES OF HOMELESSNESS AND STRENGTH PARTNERSHIPS THROUGH THE FORMATION OF A LIVED EXPERIENCE ADVISORY BOARD TO INFORM THE CONSIDERATIONS AND DECISIONS OF CAL ACH AND MEMBER DEPARTMENTS. ALIGNING STATE ACTIVITIES WITH HOUSING FIRST APPROACHES. THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PLAN WILL ADVANCE THE STRENGTHEN FOCUSED ON HOUSING FIRST APPROACHES CENTERED AROUND PROVIDING OR CONNECTING INDIVIDUALS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS TO PERMANENT HOUSING AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE TO SUPPORT TH

15:36:47 THEIR SUPPORT AND BALANCING PERMANENT SOLUTIONS. WHILE WE RECOGNIZE -- THE THOUSANDS OF CALIFORNIANS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS RIGHT NOW ARE FACING URGENT AND DANGEROUS CRISIS DAY WILL BALANCE -- THROUGH SUPPORTIVE AND NONPUNITIVE APPROACHES WITH EFFORTS TO CREATE THE NECESSARY PERMANENT HOUSING OPTIONS AT THE SCALE NEEDED.

15:37:17 AND LASTLY, A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY, ACCOUNTABILITY AND EFFICIENCY. CAL ACH WILL FOSTER AND RELY UPON INCREASED COORDINATION, AND SHARED RESPONSIBILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY, ACROSS STATE DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS AND WILL WORK IN CLOSE COORDINATION WITH LOCAL COMMUNITIES IN ORDER TO CREATE THE SOLUTIONS CALIFORNIANS

EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS NEED AND SUPPORT THE GREATEST IMPACT OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND PROGRAMS.

15:37:35 THE EXECUTION OF THIS ACTIONABLE PLANS IS SUPPORTED THROUGH THE FORMATION OF FIVE WORKING GROUPS THAT ARE CHARGED WITH IMPLEMENTING SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES AND THOSE FIVE WORKING GROUPS ARE LISTED ON THE SLIDE WITHIN THE ACTION PLANS SPECIFIC DEPARTMENTS ARE IDENTIFIED WHO ARE EXPECTED TO BE REPRESENTED WITHIN THOSE GROUPS.

15:37:59 AND MEMBERS FROM OTHER DEPARTMENTS AND STAKEHOLDERS WITH RELEVANT EXPERTISE WILL BE RECRUITED TO SERVE ON THOSE WORKING GROUP. EACH GROUP WILL, ALSO, BE CHARGED WITH ADDRESSING RACIAL INEQUITIES AND THROUGH TAILORS FOR DIFFERENT POPULATION FOR PEOPLE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS.

15:38:32 THE ACTION PLAN WAS DIVIDED INTO FIVE DISTINCT BUT INTER-RELATED ACTION'S. THE FIRST ACTION AREA FOCUSES ON SYSTEM STRENGTHENS AND THIS ACTION AREA INCLUDE ACTIVITY FOCUSED ON PURSUING RACIAL EQUITY IN RESPONSE TO HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING INSTABILITY, ENGAGING AND PARTNERSHIP WITH PEOPLE LIVED EXPERTISE. SUPPORTING INTERJURISDICTIONAL AND REGIONAL PLANNING AND PARTNERS RELATED TO EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND ASSETS.

15:38:54 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE AND COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC AWARENESS. ACTION AREA TWO FOCUSES ON INTERVENTIONS AND THIS AREA INCLUDES ACTIVITY FOCUSED ON ADDRESSING HEALTH AND SAFETY NEEDS AND INCREASING ACCESS TO STATE SUPPORTED SERVICES AND PROGRAMS FOR PEOPLE EXPERIENCING UNSHELTERED HOMELESSNESS.

15:39:12 ACTION AREA THREE FOCUSES ON SHELTERING AND THIS ACTION AREA INCLUDES ACTIVITIES FOCUSED ON EXPANDING THE SUPPLY OF SAFE, HOUSING PLACEMENT FOCUSED SHELTERING AND INTERIM HOUSING MODELS. AND ADDRESSING HEALTH AND SERVICES NEEDS OF PEOPLE STAYING WITHIN SUCH PROGRAMS.

15:39:37 ACTION AREA FOUR FOCUSES ON PERMANENT HOUSING SOLUTIONS. THIS ACTION AREA INCLUDES ACTIVITIES FOCUSES ON HOUSING FIRST APPROACHES AND EXPANDING HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT OF STRATEGIES, SHORT AND LONG-TERM RENTAL ASSISTANCE AND OTHER REHOUSING ACTIVITIES AND LASTLY ACTION AREA FIVE FOCUSES ON HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION.

15:39:55 THIS ACTION AREA INCLUDE ACTIVITIES FOCUSED ON REDUCING ENTRIES INTO HOMELESSNESS AS PEOPLE EXIT AND/OR RECEIVE SERVICES THROUGH STATE FUNDED PROGRAMS AND SYSTEMS AS WELL AS ENHANCING COMMUNITY TO PROVIDE TARGETED DIVERSE SERVICES AND ASSISTANCE.

15:40:32 THE ACTION AREAS ARE DEFINED TO ACCOMPLISH EACH OF THESE ACTIONS. UNDER THESE FIVE ACTION AREAS THERE ARE 15 OBJECTIVES AND NEARLY 90 ACTIVITIES AND 13 STATE DEPARTMENTS HAVE COMMITTED TO ACCOMPLISH, WHICH IECH SPECIFIC AJT TIFRTS FOCUSING ON IDENTIFYING STRATEGIES TO SERVE OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, AT-RISK OF EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS. INCLUDING MEETING THE NEED FOR IN-HOME SUPPORTS AND AXIS TO SENIOR CARE FACILITIES AS AN EXAMPLE.

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15:40:48 EACH INCLUDES TIMEFRAMES AN PERFORMANCE MEASURES TO ENSURE ACCOUNTABILITY AND WORK TOWARD PREVENTING AND END HOMELESSNESS.

15:41:10 IN THE YEAR 2021 IMPLEMENT PROGRESS REPORTED THAT PROVIDES DATA, HIGHLIGHTS AND DETAILS ABOUT OUR COLLECTIVE PROGRESS ON THESE ACTIVITIES. CAL ACH IS WORKING WITH ALL MEMBER DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES TO BE INCLUSIVE OF THE NEW COUNCILMEMBER DEPARTMENTS AS WELL AS ANY UPDATES OR ACTIVITIES FROM DEPARTMENTS ALREADY REPRESENTED ON THE COUNCIL.

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15:41:36 THIS WILL HELP TO ENSURE THAT THE ACTION PLAN REFLECTS THE FULL SCOPE OF WORK OF OUR COUNCIL. CAL ACH HAS BEEN HOLDING INPUT DISCUSSIONS WITH COUNCIL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS, PEOPLE WITH LIVED EXPERTISE AND VIRTUAL PUBLIC INPUT SESSIONS. AND A DISCUSSION WITH THE FULL COUNCIL AN OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE MAY 31STCAL ACH COUNCIL MEETING.

15:41:57 CAL ACH WILL THEN COMPLETE DISCUSSIONS WITH COUNCIL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS AND EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS CONFIRM REVISED ACTIVITY WITH ALL MEMBERS AND DEPARTMENTS AND THE ACTION PLAN WILL BE DISCUSSIONED AND ADOPTED AT THE SEPTEMBER 1 COUNCIL MEETING.

15:42:21 IN CLOSING, I WOULD LIKE TO SHARE AND FORWARD A FEW RESOURCES THAT MAY BE BENEFICIAL TO LEARN MORE ABOUT WHAT WAS SHARED FORWARD TODAY. INCLUDED ON THE SCREEN IS A LINK TO BOTH THE ACTION PLAN AS WELL AS THE IMPLEMENTATION PROGRESS REPORT RELEASED LAST NOVEMBER AND IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE WORK OF COUNCIL AND UPDATES OF THE ACTION PLAN THE NEXT COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MAY 31ST.

15:42:48 >> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, COURTNEY AND THANK YOU ESPECIALLY FOR SHARING THESE RESOURCES SO THAT MEMBERS OF THIS COMMITTEE AND THE PUBLIC CAN LINK TO THEM AND LEARN MORE. WE APPRECIATE THAT. THERE WAS ONE QUESTION THAT CAME IN IN THE CHAT WHILE YOU WERE SPEAKING. IT WAS WHAT WAS THE -- DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE PERCENTAGE OF OLDER ADULTS WAS IN THE POINT IN TIME COUNT IN JANUARY.

15:43:15 >> YOU KNOW, DATA IS STILL COMING IN FOR THE MOST RECENT POINT IN TIME ACCOUNT THAT OCCURRED THIS CALENDAR YEAR. SO I DON'T HAVE THAT SPECIFIC DATA ELEMENT AT THIS POINT. JUST YOU ARE WELCOME TO GO ON OUR WEBSITE THOUGH AND WE HAVE AN INTERACTIVE DASHBOARD THAT WILL ALLOW YOU TO LOOK UPDATE THAT FROM BOTH 20 -- ACTUALLY, IT'S EARLIER THAN THAT, BUT FROM THE LAST TWO STATE CALENDAR YEARS AS WELL.

15:43:27 >> GREAT. PATTI IS ON IT IN THE CHAT. SHE IS ALSO SHARING SOME DATA WITH THE GROUP AS WELL. SO COURTNEY, PATTI, MARTY, THANK YOU FOR THE HOUSING REPORT.

15:44:02 WE DID ADVERTISE -- ADVERTISE ISN'T THE RIGHT WORD BUT WE DID HAVE ON THE AGENDA THAT THERE WOULD BE PUBLIC COMMENT AT THIS TIME. I WANT TO ASK FOR PUBLIC COMMENT FROM ANYONE WHO CANNOT STAY WITH US UNTIL THE END OF THE MEETING WHEN WE HAVE PUBLIC COMMENT AGAIN. SO IF THERE IS ANYBODY WHO NEEDS TO DROP OFF AND WANTS TO MAKE A

PUBLIC COMMENT, WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU NOW. OTHERWISE, AT THE CLOSE OF THE MEETING AT 4:45, WE WILL HAVE PUBLIC COMMENT. AND THE INSTRUCTIONS ARE HERE.

15:44:06 MARIA, DO YOU WANT TO ANNOUNCE THE PROCESS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT?

15:44:07 >> SURE!

15:44:09 >> AND THEN WE WILL BREAK.

15:44:24 >> THAT SOUNDS GREAT. YEAH, FOR THOSE WHO NEED TO DROP OFF, IF YOU CAN SELECT THE RAISED HAND ICON ON YOUR ZOOM TOOL BAR WE CAN UNMUTE YOUR LINE OR FEEL FREE TO DROP YOUR QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS INTO THE Q&A AND WE CAN READ THEM OUT LOUD.

15:44:48 I DID SEE A HAND SHOOT UP AND THEN IT WENT DOWN. SO I DON'T KNOW, ANA, IF YOU HAVE TO DROP OFF LATER OR IF YOU CAN HOLD TO THE END, JUST A COUPLE OF SECONDS OR ANY OTHERS WHO WANT TO JUMP IN. ALL RIGHT! SEEING NONE, I THINK SUSAN, WE CAN PROBABLY GO TO BREAK AND LOOK FORWARD TO PUBLIC COMMENT TOWARDS THE END OF TODAY'S MEETING.

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15:56:05 >>: ALL RIGHT. IT LOOKS LIKE IT'S 3:55. WE ARE GOING TO RETURN. IF EVERYONE WOULD TUNE BACK IN. WELCOME BACK. AND NOW WE WILL BE -- THIS IS THE FIRST GROUP THAT HAS SPUN OFF OF A WORK GROUP. WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THAT. ERIC AND DEBBY ARE GOING TO BRING US TO THE TRANSPORTATION WORK. WE INVITE YOU TO PRESENT. YOU HAVE UP UNTIL 4:15.

15:56:06 WELCOME.

15:56:46 >>: GREAT, THANK YOU SO MUCH. WE APPRECIATE YOUR LEADERSHIP. DEBBY AND I WERE PART OF A SUBCOMMITTEE FOR TRANSPORTATION. WE HEARD FROM MEMBERS THAT TRANSPORTATION IS ONE OF OUR TOP PRIORITIES AND WE WANTED TO DIVE INTO THE MAIN ISSUES THAT THE DISABILITY AND AGING COMMUNITY EXPERIENCES IN CALIFORNIA.

15:57:30 I HAVE SPOKEN ABOUT MY EXPERIENCE AS A WHEELCHAIR USER AND WITH THE DIFFERENT FORMS OF TRANSPORTATION AND I DON'T NEED TO REHASH ANY OF THOSE. BUT IT'S A HIGH PRIORITY ISSUE FOR US WITHIN MY WORKING CAPACITY AT DISABILITY RIGHTS CALIFORNIA AND THROUGHOUT THE DISABILITY COMMUNITY. I AM GOING TO HAND IT OFF TO DEBBY AND IS ONE OF THE LEADERS IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA WITH THOSE WHO HAVE DISABILITIES

15:58:14 >>: THANK YOU FOR HAVING US TODAY. I WILL DO MY BEST TO BE KIND TO THE INTERPRETER AND STILL GET THROUGH QUITE A LOT. (LAUGHTER) OUR FRIEND BILL THE SECOND HABIT OF THE SEVEN EFFECTIVE HABITS IS TO KEEP THE END IN MIND. IMAGINE A WORLD WHERE EVERYBODY CAN GET THERE WHEN THEY NEED TO GET THERE. THE ESSENCE IS THAT SIMPLE. NEXT SLIDE. HOW DID WE GET HERE?

15:59:17 WE HAVE COVERED THIS IN THE PAST MEETINGS BUT IT'S A GOOD REFESHER. JOHN WENT THROUGH THREE DECADES OF STUDIES -- IT'S IN SEARCH OF THE STATUS QUO. IT'S HARD FOR US TO CHANGE THE BROKEN SYSTEM WHEN IT'S DESIGNED TO SERVE ITSELF AND NOT IT'S RIDER. THIS IS ABOUT ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION. THIS MUST BE DESIGNED WITH THE NEEDS OF THE DRIVER. THANK YOU DEBBY MANDEL -- NONPROFIT PROGRAM, ACCESSIBLE BUS STOPS, ROLLABLE PATHWAYS

15:59:51 WAY FINDING AND THE LIST GOES ON. IF IT'S RELATING TO POINT A TO POINT B AND EVERYONE CAN DO IT THEN IT'S CONSIDERED ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION AND WE MOVE FROM THE TERM TO ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION BECAUSE THE TRADITIONAL SYSTEM ONLY RECOGNIZED PARA TRANSIT AND THIS IS A CHANGE IN DIALOGUE WHICH MUST HAPPEN TO CHANGE THE SYSTEM.

16:00:57 SO AFTER THE MPA TURNED OUT TO BE A TURNING POINT FOR US ADVOCATES AND THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN SLEEPING FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS -- AND USING EXISTING FUNDING STREAM SO LET ME START AGAIN. AFTER THE MPA I WAS INVITED TO COME HERE BY GOVERNOR NEWSOM TO TELL DACLA -- THOSE WHO ASKED TO BE LOOPED INTO THE TRANSPORTATION ISSUES WERE INVITED TO PUT TOGETHER A PRESENTATION. YOU RESPONDED. CAL TRANS WAS ON BOARD

16:01:36 AND THEN PROMPTED SOME CONVERSATIONS WITH HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ABOUT THE NEED FOR A TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE. OUR NEXT MOVE WAS TO CREATE ONE. WE HAD TO SET UP THE RULES OF ENGAGEMENT. WE BEGAN A CONVERSATION TO HELP US ARTICULATE WITH OUR SHARED VALUES DREAMS AND FEARS. I AM GOING TO POP FORWARD AND BACK AGAIN. THIS IS WHAT THIS GROUP OF FOLKS HAS EXPRESSED THEIR DESIRE.

16:02:33 OUR AGREED UPON VALUES ARE INCLUSION, EQUITY, COLLABORATION, ACTION AND FOLLOW THROUGH, SUSTAINABILITY AND CANDOR. WE AREN'T HERE TO SAVE ANYBODY'S FEELINGS BUT IF SOMETHING IS BROKEN WE ARE GOING TO TALK ABOUT IT. THE DREAMS OF THE GROUP IS THAT THE SUBCOMMITTEE DRIVES THE INTERNAL WORK OF POLITICAL STAFF AND LEGISLATION AND THERE IS PARTICIPATION DRIVING THE WORK AND TANGIBLE MILESTONES AND EVERYONE IS ABLE TO GET TO WHERE THEY NEED TO GO WHEN THEY WANT. THE FEARS OF THIS GROUP

16:03:31 IS THE LACK OF INTEGRITY AND WE HAD OUR FIRST FULL MEETING AND WE HAD 66 ATTENDEES AND WE HEARD FROM THE CAL TRANS LEADERS WITH THE EQUITY INDEX, THEIR STATE BIKE AND PEDESTRIAN PLANS AND ACCESSIBILITY AND WE WERE ABLE TO SHARE OUR PRIORITIES WITH THEM. IT WAS DIFFERENT. (LAUGHTER) THIS WAS A TRUE FIRST STEP THAT WE HAD CAL TRANS TO COME TO US AND LEARN FROM US AND ALLOW THAT TO INFORM THEIR WORK

16:04:07 WHERE WE HAVE ROOM TO WORK IS IN THEIR EQUITY PLATFORM. IT CAN BE BENEFIT FROM SOME AGING AND EQUITY INCLUSION. THE WORK WILL BE IMMEDIATE AND SHORT TERM AND THERE IS MID TO LONG TERM GOALS. EVERYONE CAN GET WHERE THEY NEED TO GO WHEN THEY GET TO GET THERE! THE SHORT AND LONG TERM GOALS ARE FUNDING. I WILL COVER THAT ON THE LAST SLIDE.

16:04:40 HERE WE CAN SEE THAT EQUITY AGAIN IS SILENT. THIS IS THE CAL TRANS DEFINITION. IT'S SILENT ON AGING AND DISABILITY. THIS IS OUR OPPORTUNITY FOR EDUCATION AND INCLUSION AND INFUSION. I AM NOT SAYING SOMETHING BAD ABOUT CAL TRANS I AM THRILLED THEY ARE HERE TO LEARN FROM US AND THEY ARE COMING TO OUR PLACE AND SPACE TO LEARN. IT'S HUGE.

16:05:39 THESE ARE OUR -- I WON'T SAY GOALS BECAUSE THEY ARE QUITE SIMPLE. THESE ARE THE BIG ACTS. I THINK IT'S DEPUTY DIRECTOR ASKED US FOR -- MODERNIZE THE SERVICE LEGISLATION AND FUNDING. IT'S REALLY SIMPLE. WE HAVE GONE OVER WHAT THE CTSA IS. IT'S ALL THE THINGS LOCALLY WITH THE AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCES, SAME SIMILAR CONCEPT AND SINGLE POINT OF ENTRY ALL THAT FUN STUFF AND MAKING SURE ALL THE SERVICES ARE THERE

16:06:18 SO THIS GROUP -- THIS TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE IS FOCUSING ON EDUCATION, CONTENT, INCLUSION WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION TO UPDATING THE LEGISLATION. WE WILL DO THE

WORK AND WORKING ON THE ONE TIME AND ON GOING FUNDING TO ENSURE GUARANTEED FUNDING. THERE MUST BE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR RURAL COMMUNITIES. WE ARE IN OUR INFASSEE AND WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO PARTICIPATE.

16:06:31 LET'S HEAR FROM RICH TO HEAR WHAT THE --

16:06:35 >>: CAN I HAVE MY FIRST SLIDE?

16:06:37 >>: NO.

16:06:42 >>: MAYBE JOHN WAS SUPPOSED TO GO NEXT?

16:06:45 >>: SORRY JOHN.

16:07:39 >>: I WAS DELETED SOME NOTES. YEAH, I'M JOHN. I'M OUT OF THE EAST BAY AREA. I AM GOING TO TALK ABOUT THE SOCIAL SERVICES TRANSPORTATION ACT THAT WAS PASSED IN 1979. THIS IS THE CONSOLIDATED TRANSPORTATION SERVICES AGENCIES. WHY WAS THIS PASSED? IT'S HAS TO DO WITH ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION. IT'S A BIT OF A MESS. THE MORE USEFUL LANGUAGE IS THAT THERE IS A LARGE AMOUNT OF PUBLIC FUNDS AND IT'S POOR SERVICE AND LIMITED AVAILABILITY.

16:08:41 THIS WAS MENTIONED OUT OF CONCERN BY A DIFFERENT SPEAKER ON A DIFFERENT TOPIC BUT THIS WAS OCCURRING BACK IN THE 70'S AND 80'S IN THIS AREA. IT'S STILL GOING ON. THE ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICE HAS DONE A DOZEN STUDIES. THE PURPOSE OF THIS AND THAT IS THIS SLIDE HERE, I'M NOT GOING TO READ EVERY BULLET POINT TO YOU BUT IT HAS TO DO WITH EACH AREA THAT I JUST DESCRIBED. IT ENCOURAGES CONSOLIDATION WITH THE MANY DIFFERENT TYPES OF PROVIDERS

16:10:03 FOR THIS TRANSPORTATION, NONPROFITS, PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, VA. SO THE ACT PASSED IN 1979, WHY ARE WE HERE? IT HAS A BIG EFFECT AND I'LL PICK OUT THE BIG ONES. THE INCENTIVES HERE IS ELIGIBILITY FOR CERTAIN TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUNDS. THERE WERE EXEMPTIONS -- I AM NOT A CTSA EXPERT, I DO RECALL CERTAIN POINTS OF THE GAS TAX WERE A PART OF, BUT IT'S NOT WIDESPREAD TO HELP THE STATE.

16:11:13 THERE IS A SIMPLE LACK OF FUNDING AND ELIGIBILITY FOR TRANSPORTATION FUNDS AND THERE ARE CERTAIN POLICIES THAT SUPPORT THIS, THIS IS AGAIN -- THE ELIGIBILITY FOR THESE ACTS CREATED COMPETITION WITH NUMEROUS PARTIES. NOBODY LIKES WHEN THEIR FINANCIAL PIE GETS THINNER. IT HAS CREATED A DISINCENTIVE AND THEN ESTABLISH -- FOR LARGEST -- IT'S A SOCIAL SERVICE WITH THE AGENCY CON STITCH ENT SEE AND IT'S NOT PART OF THE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

16:12:05 THEY HAVE MANY OBLIGATIONS IN THEIR PORTFOLIO. DEBBY SPOKE EARLIER ABOUT THE MECHANISMS WITH THE SOCIAL SERVICE TRANSPORTATION ACT AND THE MOST OBVIOUS IS THAT WE NEED A DEDICATING FUNDING SOURCE. YOU CAN'T BUILD BRIDGES WITHOUT FUNDING. YOU NEED IMPROVEMENTS AND THEY ARE JUST REVIEWING POLICIES AND WE NEED -- WE ALSO NEED THEM TO HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO DELEGATE IT TO THE COUNTY INSTEAD OF THE TRANSPORTATION AGENCY

16:12:46 THE COUNTIES HAVE A MORE DIVERSE PORTFOLIO AND CAN RESPOND. THEY HAVE AN OBLIGATION TO PUBLIC HEALTH, THEY RECEIVE FUNDING AND IT'S A MULTIPURPOSE SERVICE AGENCY AND FOR THOSE WHO NEED THE SERVICE. YOU CAN SEE SOME DETAILS WITH THE BULLETS. I DON'T HAVE TIME FOR SO I WILL LEAVE IT AT THAT. I CAN ANSWER QUESTIONS AFTER WARDS.

16:13:45 >>: I WANT TO GET DOWN TO THE BASICS. WE WANT TO KNOW OUR MINIMUM ADA REQUIREMENTS. WE ALL KNOW WHAT IT IS, IT'S PRETTY SIMPLE, IT'S INTENDED TO GUARANTEE THAT PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES HAVE THE SAME OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN AMERICAN LIFE. IT HAS BEEN REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A PARA TRANSIT SERVICE IT PROVIDES ORIGIN AND DESTINATION FOR A FIXED ROUTE AND IT'S WITHIN A THREE QUARTER MILE, IT'S LIMITED.

16:14:36 THE EM PA SIZE IS NOT ON RIDE BEING PROVIDED IT'S PRESCRIBES A VEHICLE, TO BE LOCAL AND AVAILABLE. IT'S NOT A GUARANTEE OF A RIDE. THIS IS KIND OF A WRONG APPROACH IN OUR VIEW. THERE IS A REPORT AND STUDY PUBLISHED IN JANUARY OF THIS YEAR IN HEALTH AND DISABILITY JOURNAL WHERE A NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS REVIEWED THE CAPABILITIES OF NEEDS WITH THOSE OF DISABILITIES AND WHETHER IT WAS BEING MET WITH THE TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE

16:15:29 AND THEY FOUND THEY WEREN'T. THE ADA MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS ARE NOT SUFFICIENT OVER ALL AND ESPECIALLY WHETHER PEOPLE LIVE IN CITIES OR RURAL AREAS AND WHAT WAS MISSING IS THEY SAID THERE IS A LACK OF AVAILABILITY WITH SERVICES, DESTINATION AND YOU CAN'T VISIT YOUR AUNT OR GO TO THE STORE OR THE COST OF RIDES WAS PROHIBITIVE, SOME RIDERS, MANY, HAVE PHYSICAL AND MENTAL LIMITATION, IT'S NOT A REAL OPPORTUNITY FOR THEM TO GET WHERE THEY NEED TO GO WHEN THEY NEED TO GO THERE AND

16:16:19 THERE ARE REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCE PLANNING THEY HAVE TO WAIT, TRAVEL TIME IS LONG AND THERE ARE A LOT OF THINGS WITH THE CURRENT AVAILABILITY OF SERVICES THAT ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE, THAT WAS VERY WELL EXPRESSED. I HAVE THE LINK THERE. NEXT SLIDE PLEASE. THERE'S THE LINK. YOU CAN READ THE FULL REPORT. OUR COMMITTEE HAS REACHED AN AGREEMENT THAT EVERYONE SHOULD GET TO WHERE THEY NEED TO GO WHEN THEY WANT TO GO. THE REVISED FOCUSED ON ALTERNATE SERVICES

16:17:07 THAT ARE SUCCESSFUL WITH THE NEEDED SERVICES WITH PEOPLE WITH MOBILITY CHALLENGES IS OUR GOAL INSTEAD OF THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS WITH THE ADA. WORKING FROM THIS VIEW POINT WE SHOULD EXPECT THE COMMITTEE THAT POLICIES CAN BE REFOCUSSED ON RIDER NEEDS AND CAPABILITIES. WE WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES WITH DISABILITIES CAN BE AVAILABLE WHEN NEEDED AND EFFECTIVE FOR PROVIDING RIDES AND TO DESTINATION

16:17:33 AND YOU CAN'T LEAVE THIS CITY OR CAN'T DO THIS, THERE ARE A LOT OF THINGS THAT IMPACT THE ABILITY FOR PEOPLE TO USE THE TRANSPORTATION THAT IS AVAILABLE. IT'S SAFE AND CON CONVENIENT AND LOW COST. IT'S SATISFACTORY TO THE RIDERS. DEBBY?

16:17:43 >>: THANK YOU. AND FINALLY MICHELLE HAS A LITTLE PLEA.

16:18:15 >>: HELLO EVERYONE AND PEOPLE TO THE PUBLIC. I WANT TO GIVE YOU A CHALLENGE TO COME MEET WITH US IN OUR GROUP. MORE MEMBERS OF COMMUNITY COMING IN SO WE CAN BRIDGE THAT GAP OF SERVICES AND WE CAN GET EVERYBODY ON THE SAME PAGE IN WORKING TOGETHER. I CHALLENGE YOU TO MEET WITH THE NEXT TRANSPORTATION DACLA MEETING. THANK YOU.

16:18:47 >>: THANKS MICHELLE. WE DON'T EVEN HAVE THE NEXT ONE ON THE CALENDAR YET. WE HAVE TO FIND THE BEST DATE FOR ALL OF US TO MEET. THAT SHOULD BE -- IT WILL BE COMING TO

YOUR WAY SOON. IT MAY BE A SMALLER GROUP OF DOODLING AND THEN WE WILL TAKE QUESTIONS AT THE END WHEN YOU ARE READY FOR THEM. THANK YOU.

16:19:41 >>: I ACCEPT YOUR CHALLENGE. I WILL BE THERE. I HAVE LEARNED SO MUCH FROM THIS GROUP. FROM OUR OWN COMMUNITY AND THE EXPERTS THAT YOU HAVE BROUGHT IN, THANK YOU SO MUCH. WHAT A WONDERFUL EDUCATION AND GREAT PRESENTATION. THANK YOU FOR PREPARING THE SLIDES. OUTSTANDING WORK. THANK YOU. WE ARE GOING TO MOVE TO OUR NEXT TOPIC. MY COLLEAGUE CORRIN, SHE COMES FROM THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY.

16:19:53 SHE HAS BEEN LEADING ON THE WORK OF CARE CORE ON MAY 11, 2022

16:20:27 >>: THANK YOU SO MUCH. HI FOLKS. I AM CORRIN. I HAVE PRESENTED ONCE FOR YOU BEFORE. I AM THE DEPUTY SECRETARY FOR PLANNING WITH THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICE AGENCIES. I WORK ON HOUSING AND HEALTH CARE FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE HOUSED AND WITH THOSE WHO HAVE COMPLEXES ON THE COUNTY AND STATE LEVEL.

16:21:15 I WANT TO SAY I REALLY APPRECIATE THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HERE TODAY. WE HAVE BEEN DOING STAKEHOLDER, WE HAVE MET WITH ADVOCATES AND DISABILITIES RIGHTS GROUPS, PROVIDER GROUPS ACROSS THE STATE AND I EXPECT THIS OPPORTUNITY IS A CHANCE FOR ME TO TALK ABOUT CARE CORE CORP. AND I LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU. WE WILL HAVE TIME. YOU CAN GIVE ME YOUR REAL FEEDBACK.

16:22:07 WE ARE GOING TO GET -- I WANTED TO GIVE A LITTLE BIT OF CONTENT TO THE CHANGE THAT IS HAPPENING IN OUR BEHAIFL HEALTH. WE ARE COMMITTED TO CHANGING THE SYSTEM ACROSS AND IT'S ABOUT GENERATIONAL CHANGE. IT'S ABOUT HIGH CHANGE AND EASILY ACCESSIBLE HEALTH CARE. WE HAVE MADE INVESTMENTS IN THE LAST FEW YEARS. I WILL TALK ABOUT EXAMPLES IN A MOMENT AND THEN TO REDUCE THE FRAGMENTATION AND WE NEED TO ADDRESS THE MENTAL HEALTH

16:23:10 AND REDUCING STIGMA AND WHERE HEALTH CARE WASN'T -- IN THE RESEARCH WITH THE LAST SIX MONTHS OR SO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES RELEASED A -- I WANTED TO HIGHLIGHT A COUPLE OF THESE FROM OUR REPORT. THE THINGS THAT WERE LISTED ADDS REALLY IMPORTANT NEEDS COME PREHENCE SIEVE APPROACH TO CRISIS SERVICE AND COMMUNITY BASED LIVING OPTION AND A NEED FOR MORE TREATMENT OPTIONS, BOTH TO SERVE PEOPLE WITH COMPLEX NEED AND TO PREVENT

16:23:56 WE ALSO FELT A NEED FOR BOTH SERVICES AND STRATEGIES TO ADDRESS DISPARITY AND A REAL NEED TO ADDRESS THE HOUSING AND ECONOMIC HEALTH ISSUES. THERE IS A LINK. HOPEFULLY WE CAN GET IT TO YOU. IT'S IN THIS SLIDE DECK BUT IT'S ALSO TO THE REPORT. I WILL PUT THE LINK IN THE CHAT TOO. I JUST WANTED TO HIGHLIGHT A COUPLE OF THESE INVESTMENT IN THE RECENT YEARS. YOU HAVE HEARD ABOUT OUR MEDICAID REFORM AND IT TRIES TO SIMPLIFY OUR HEALTH CARE SYSTEM

16:25:03 AND CAL AIM JUSTICE PACKAGE AS THEY COME OUT OF INCARCERATION IN CALIFORNIA. WE MADE A BIG INVESTMENT WITH THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INITIATIVE AND WE LAUNCHED THE HEALTH CONTINUUM INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM AND SETTINGS THAT CAN SERVE SENIORS AND THOSE WITH DISABILITIES IN HOUSING SETTING AND ASSISTED LIVING AND PERMANENT. WE LAUNCHED A NEW PEER SUPPORT SERVICE WITH MEDICAL

16:26:05 WE HAVE ESTABLISHED AN OFFICE OF SUICIDE PREVENTION BUT WE ARE LOOKING AT A PLAN IN PROCESS AROUND CRISIS CARE CONTINUUM WITH THE LAUNCH OF NINE -- EIGHT -- EIGHT. WE ARE LAUNCHING TREATMENT WITH THE EXPANSION PROJECT AND SERVING PEOPLE WITH SUBSTANCE ABUSE DISORDERS AND THIS IS NEAR AND DEAR TO MY HEART. CREATING DIVERSION TO SEE IF AN INDIVIDUAL IS COMPETENT TO STAND TRIAL AND TO SEE MORE COMMUNITY TREATMENTS FOR THAT POPULATION

16:27:01 BUT THE NEXT ONE IS TO HIGHLIGHT HOW IMPORTANT THE WORK FORCE IS TO ESTABLISH THESE GOALS. WE PROPOSED 1.7 BILLION AND WITHIN THE AGENCY TO CREATE, YOU KNOW, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICE WORK FORCE THAT INCLUDES BEHAVE VORL HEALTH. ALL RIGHT. LET'S MOVE ON. NOW WE ARE GETTING TO CARE COURT CALLED THE COMMUNITY ASSISTED EMPOWERMENT AND RECOVERY. IT'S A PAIR DIME SHIFT. IT'S THOSE WITH THE

16:28:07 MOST COMPLEX MENTAL HEALTH CONDITIONS. THIS IS ABOUT DIVERTING AN UP STREAM CONSERVATORSHIP AND OR INCARCERATION. IT'S ABOUT SHARING THE PARTICIPANT AND SYSTEM SUCCESS. IT IS ALSO ABOUT CREATING ACCOUNTABILITY FOR THE STATE AND COUNTY LEVEL ON THE NEEDS OF THE INDIVIDUALS THAT WE ARE HOPING TO SERVE. CARE COURT IS A PROCESS AND IT'S DIFFERENT THAN LPS CONSERVATORSHIP. IT DOES NOT INCLUDE SETTINGS OR LONG TERM

16:29:00 INVOLUNTARY MEDICATIONS. CARE COURT DOES NOT DO THOSE THINGS. IT'S A LITTLE DIFFERENT IT CAN BE INITIATED FROM A VARIETY OF INDIVIDUALS LIKE FAMILY MEMBERS OR CLINICIANS. AS I MENTIONED BEFORE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ARE ALSO HELD ACCOUNTABLE THROUGH THE CARE PLAN, THEY ARE COURT ORDERED TO PROVIDE THE SERVICES AND WE WILL TALK ABOUT WHAT A CARE PLAN ENTAILS BUT IF A COUNTY FAILS COMPLY WITH THE COURT

16:30:04 THEY CAN BE HAVING PENALTIES. THE CARE COURT MODEL WOULD PROVIDE A SUPPORTER WHO IS TRAINED TO HELP AN INDIVIDUAL TO IDENTIFY AND VOICE WITH THEIR DECISION WITH THE PLAN AND A GRADUATION PLAN AND IT WOULD INCLUDE IF DESIRED A PSYCHIATRIC ADVANCE PLAN. I WISH I HAD STARTED WITH THIS WHEN I STARTED TALKING BUT THIS IS A PROPOSAL AND THIS IS WHAT THE GOVERNOR INTRODUCED IN MARCH AND IT'S A BILL IN THE SENATE. IT'S BILL 1338. THAT'S THE BILL NUMBER.

16:31:00 ALL RIGHT SO THE NEXT SLIDE IS JUST TO DESCRIBE FOR YOU -- OH, GO BACK -- I WANT TO SAY AND BE CLEAR THAT THE CRITERIA IS NARROW. WE ARE HOPING TO SERVE INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE PSYCHIC DISORDERS AND THEY LACK THE MEDICAL DECISION CAPACITY, LACK OF INSIGHT OR JUDGMENT THEY ARE AT RISK TO HEALTH AND SAFETY. I WILL SAY, MANY INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS, MANY PEOPLE ACROSS CALIFORNIA

16:31:48 WHO HAVE THESE CONDITIONS ARE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS OR RISK OF DEATH AND INCARCERATION AND HOSPITALIZATION AND THAT IS WHAT WE ARE TRYING TO AVOID AND WE KNOW THAT MANY OF THE INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE IN THIS POPULATION MAY BE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS. THE GOAL IS ABOUT SERVING PEOPLE BEFORE THEY ENTER THE JUSTICE SYSTEM AND THEY END UP BEING CRIMINALIZED FOR THEIR HEALTH CONDITIONS OR AN LPS CONSERVATORSHIP

16:32:40 SO THIS STARTS WITH A PETITION IT CAN COME FROM A SET OF INDIVIDUALS LIKE FAMILY MEMBERS OR CLINICIANS OR HOMELESSNESS OUT REACH WORKERS. THE NEXT STEP IS AN EVALUATION, TO SEE IF THEY MEET THE CRITERIA. THEN TO CREATE THE CARE PLAN. THE COUNTY

WOULD WORK WITH THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE SUPPORTER AND THE PUBLIC DEFENDER BECAUSE ALL INDIVIDUALS WOULD BE ASSIGNED A PUBLIC DEFENDER AND DESIGN A CARE PLAN THAT MEETS THE NEEDS OF THE INDIVIDUAL

16:33:29 THE FIRST IS ACCESS TO TREATMENT THAT MEETS THE NEEDS AND GETTING MEDICATION. ACCESS TO MEDICATION MAKES A BIG DIFFERENCE AND TO LIVE IN THE COMMUNITY IN A LEAST RESTRICTIVE SETTING POSSIBLE AND THEN A HOUSING PLAN AND I WILL TALK ABOUT THAT. HOUSING IS AN EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. THAT WON'T BE A SURPRISE TO ANY OF YOU. THE SECOND IS THE SUPPORT SO THE COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH IS THERE TO ENSURE THAT THEIR ISSUES

16:34:22 AND DESIRES ARE IN THE CARE PLAN. WE HAVE THE ACCOUNTABILITY TO DELIVER AND THERE ARE HEARING TO HEAR ABOUT THE INDIVIDUALS AND MAKING GOOD ON ALL PLANS AND MAKING SURE THAT THE HOUSING PLAN IS CHANGING TO MEET THE NEEDS AND WE END IN SUCCESS WHERE THE INDIVIDUAL HAS GRADUATED FROM THE PROGRAM AND A PLAN THAT WOULD BE CONDUCTED BY THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE SUPPORTER AND A PSYCHIATRIC ORDER

16:35:09 I WOULD TALK MORE ABOUT THE SUPPORTER ROLE. IT'S ABOUT HELPING THE INDIVIDUAL TO UNDERSTAND THE CONDITIONS. IT'S HELPING THE INDIVIDUAL TO UNDERSTAND AND CONSIDER AND COMMUNICATE THEIR DECISION AND THE TOOLS TO THE GREATEST STEP POSSIBLE AND HELP DEVELOP THE DIRECTIVE AND THE HELP WITH THE GRADUATION PLAN AND MAKE SURE THE INDIVIDUAL HAS A PLAN IN PLACE FOR ON GOING TREATMENT

16:35:52 WE WILL HAVE THE SUPPORTERS BE TRAINED IN THE DIVERSITY OF LIFE EXPERIENCES. CARE COURT SUPPORTER WOULD BE FUNDING AND SUPPORTED BY THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF AGING. THERE IS A NET WORK ACROSS THE STATE. THEY COULD BE ASSIGNED A SUPPORTER. THE INDIVIDUAL COULD ALSO CHOOSE IF THEY PREFER A FRIEND OR FAMILY MEMBER INSTEAD OF A STATE FUNDED SUPPORTER OR MAY CHOOSE NOT TO HAVE ONE AT ALL

16:36:50 WE WANT TO RESPECT THE CHOICES OF THE INDIVIDUALS IN HAVING A SUPPORTER OF THEIR CHOICE. SOME QUESTIONS OVER THE MONTHS ON WHY IT DOESN'T INCLUDE ALL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CONDITIONS, WE FOCUS ON THE DIAGNOSIS WITH THOSE ARE IMPAIRED AND WE KNOW THAT STABILIZING MEDICATION AND THIS IS NOT TO LEAVE OUT OTHER PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITY AND IT'S A BIG REASON WHY WE HAVE MUCH LARGER EFFORT TO REDESIGN WITH THE YOUTH EFFORT AND INFRASTRUCTURE

16:37:39 AND AGAIN WE KNOW THAT CRITICAL INVESTMENTS HAVE TO BE MADE WITHIN THE CAPACITY TO REDUCE FRAGMENTATION AND TO SERVE PEOPLE WITH THE DIAGNOSIS WITH THE SUBSTANCE ABUSE DISORDERS. IT NEEDS TO MEET THEIR NEEDS ACROSS THE SPECTRUM. THIS IS THE HOUSING SLIDE. THIS IS IMPORTANT. THIS IS REALLY KEY TO LONG TERM STABILITY ESPECIALLY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH COMPLEX HEALTH CONDITIONS, WE KNOW THAT TRYING

16:38:29 ADHERE TO ANY TYPE OF TREATMENT WHILE LIVING OUT DOORS CAN BE CHALLENGING. ALL THE CARE PLANS WILL HAVE A PLAN, THERE IS DIVERSE NEEDS LIKE ENHANCED INTERIM OR BRIDGE HOUSING AND MAYBE SENIOR CARE AND INTO SUPPORTIVE HOUSING AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING OR WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. IT'S IMPORTANT TO BE AWARE OF THE NEEDS OF THE INDIVIDUAL AS THEY STABILIZE A PATH TO RECOVERY.

16:39:30 I WANT TO HIGHLIGHT ANOTHER BUDGETS ITEM IN OUR 2022 -- 2023 PLAN. IT'S WELL SUITED TO HELP CARE COURT PARTICIPANTS. AND THERE IS A PRIORITY TO SERVE THESE INDIVIDUALS AND THEN, OF COURSE, YOU KNOW, WE ALSO IN ADDITION TO THESE TARGETED DOLLARS THIS IS HAPPENING IN THE CONTEXT OF THE HISTORIC \$12 BILLION INVESTMENT TO CREATE NEW HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS RESPONSE EFFORTS THROUGH HOME KEY AND TO END FAMILY HOMELESSNESS AND ADULTS AND SENIORS AND THOSE WITH DISABILITIES

16:40:30 IT'S AN EXCITING MOMENT FOR US IN CALIFORNIA WITH OUR RAM PD UP EFFORTS. SO I JUST PUT A COUPLE OF RESOURCES HERE. WE ARE HAPPY TO HEAR FEEDBACK. I HAVE ADDED A LINK AND I WANT TO INVITE PEOPLE -- WE WILL HAVE SOME QUESTIONS AND IF YOU DON'T GET A QUESTIONS, YOU CAN ALWAYS SHOOT ME AN E-MAIL. THANK SO MUCH.

16:41:15 >>: GREAT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THE SLIDES AND RESOURCES AND SHARING YOUR E-MAIL WITH THE GROUP. YOU HAVE DEVELOPED A WONDERFUL -- WE WILL MAKE SURE THOSE ARE COVERED. FOR THE SAKE OF TIME I WANT TO TURN IT OVER TO OUR COCHAIR WITH ERIC AND HE HAS BEEN IN CONVERSATION WITH OUR COMMITTEE AND HE HAS PREPARED SOME REMARKS.

16:42:01 IF TIME ALLOWS WE WILL OPEN IT TO OTHERS. THANK YOU SUSAN AND CORRIN. I WANTED TO TAKE A MOMENT AND MANY OF YOU BECAUSE I KNOW THAT I HAVE COMMUNICATED WITH SOME ARE AWARE THAT SOME FOLKS WITHIN THE MENTAL HEALTH COMMUNITY AND PEER COMMUNITY AND CIVIL RIGHTS ORGANIZATIONS AND GROUPS HAVE EXPRESSED SOME CONCERNS WITH THE PROEPDZ L REGARDING THE CARE COURTS.

16:42:46 I JUST WANTED TO LAY OUT SOME THOUGHT AND WE AT DISABILITIES RIGHTS CALIFORNIA WE HAVE A LOT OF INFORMATION ON IDEAS THAT ARE OUR EXPERTS HAVE, A LOT OF OUR ATTORNEYS WHO WORK WITH THE MEMBERS OF THE MENTAL HEALTH COMMUNITY AND THEY HAVE YEARS OF EXPERIENCE WITHIN THE SPACE AND HAVE SOME IDEAS. THERE ARE SOME INITIAL POINTS, WE DO AGREE THAT THERE IS A CRISIS AND A HOMELESS AND MENTAL HEALTH CARE CRISIS

16:43:41 IN TERMS OF PEOPLE WHO ARE ON THE STREETS WHO DO NOT HAVE ACCESS TO THE SERVICES AND SUPPORT AND HOUSING THAT THEY NEED AND DESERVE. IT'S JUST A MATTER OF DETERMINING THE BEST WAY TO GO ABOUT MAKING SURE THAT THOSE PEOPLE ARE SERVED THE WAY THAT THEY NEED TO BE SERVED AND BEST FITS THEIR NEEDS AND ALTHOUGH THIS PROPOSAL FOCUSES ON PEOPLE WITH SPECIFIC TYPES OF MENTAL HEALTH LIKE PSYCH COCIS

16:44:22 IT'S HARD TO NARROW IT DOWN AND OTHERS WHO ARE LIVING ON THE STREETS SO JUST A FEW QUICK POINT AND THEN I KNOW WE HAVE TO GET TO THE QUESTIONS. SO ONE I KNOW THAT CORRIN BROUGHT IT UP IN HER LAST SLIDE HOUSING IS REALLY THE MOST IMPORTANT PIECE MAKING SURE THAT PEOPLE HAVE ACCESS TO HOUSING IN AN ACCESSIBLE WAY WITH ALL TYPES OF DISABILITIES AND THE COMMUNITIES WHERE THEY LIVE AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE

16:44:57 WE DON'T WANT SITUATIONS WHERE INDIVIDUALS HAVE TO MOVE TO DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE STATE WITH NO COMMUNITY OR FAMILY. IT'S IMPORTANT TO HAVE HOUSING WITHIN THE COMMUNITY WHERE THEY LIVE. ANOTHER IMPORTANT THAT IS REALLY IMPORTANT IS BASED ON OUR EXPERTS RESEARCH AND WORK FORCED TREATMENT IS JUST NOT A REASONABLE OPTION FOR PEOPLE WHEN YOU ARE TRYING TO GET THE BEST OUT COMES

16:45:56 VOLUNTARY TREATMENT OPTIONS ARE GOING TO BE THE BEST OPTIONS WITH ALL TYPES OF DISABILITIES AND THAT'S ONE IN PARTICULAR THAT IS REALLY IMPORTANT THAT THERE ARE AS MANY VOLUNTARY OPTIONS FOR PEOPLE WITH ALL DIFFERENT TYPES OF MENTAL HEALTH DISABILITIES. ANOTHER IMPORTANT PART IS THE IMPACT THAT THIS PROPOSAL COULD HAVE ON PEOPLE OF COLOR. BLACK PEOPLE, LATINX AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLE ARE MISDIAGNOSED.

16:46:38 WE WANT TO MAKE SURE THEY ARE NOT PUT IN THE COURT SYSTEM NOT NECESSARILY BEFORE ANY CRIME. WHEN COURTS ARE INVOLVED AND IF A PUBLIC DEFENDER IS GOING TO BE INVOLVED AND A NEW COURT SYSTEM IT CAN BE REALLY SCARY FOR A LOT OF PEOPLE WHO HAVE NOT DONE ANYTHING WRONG. THOSE OF US WHO HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN THE LEGAL SYSTEM IT CAN BE INTIMIDATING LIKE A CIVIL COURT OR CRIMINAL COURT, IT'S ALL INTIMIDATING IF YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND

16:47:15 WHY YOU ARE GOING TO COURT AND THE PURPOSE OF THE END GOAL. IT'S REALLY DIFFICULT TO KNOW FOR SURE HOW THIS IS GOING TO PLAY OUT BUT THESE ARE JUST SOME OF THE CONCERNS THAT DISABILITIES RIGHTS CALIFORNIA HAS AND I KNOW THAT WE ARE PART OF A LARGE COALITION WITH OVER 50 ORGANIZATION THAT HAVE EXPRESSED EITHER CONCERN OR STRONGER ISSUE WITH WHAT WE HAVE SEEN SO FAR WHEN IT COMES TO CARE COURTS AND ULTIMATELY

16:48:04 WE BELIEVE AT DISABILITIES RIGHTS CALIFORNIA THAT A FULL ENAGEMENT PROCESS WITH THE MEMBERS OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS, PEER COMMUNITY, HOMELESSNESS COMMUNITY, THEY HAVE NOT BEEN REACHED OUT OR BROUGHT TO THE TABLE AND WE WANT TO ENCOURAGE WHETHER IT'S FOR THIS SPECIFIC PROPOSAL BUT BEYOND ON THESE ISSUES AND ON ALL DISABILITIES ISSUE THAT IT'S CRITICAL THAT THE DISABILITY A DIVERSE CROSS SECTION ESPECIALLY

16:48:24 WITH THE PEOPLE OF COLOR ARE BROUGHT TO THESE DISCUSSIONS. I WANTED TO MAKE SURE I WANTED TO MAKE THESE POINTS. THANK YOU FOR ALLOWING ME TO MAKE THESE POINTS. THANK YOU SUSAN.

16:48:34 >>: CORRIN, DID YOU WANT TO RESPOND TO THAT? OR WE HAVE SOMETHING FROM ERIC?

16:48:54 >>: WE HAVE THE RISK AND THIS ISN'T OVER YET. WE HAVE A LOT MORE WORK TO DO AND LISTENING WITH OPEN EARS AS THIS BILL MOVES THROUGH THIS PROCESS. I LOOK FORWARD TO THAT.

16:49:05 >>: ALL RIGHT. OUR LAST IS FROM AARON.

16:49:58 >>: THANK YOU SO MUCH. WE ARE AN INDEPENDENT STATE ENTITY AND WE ARE HERE TO CREATE POSITIVE LIFE CHANGES WITH PEOPLE WHO HAVE DISABILITIES. WE AREN'T SIGNED ON WITH THE COALLATION THAT ERIC TALKED ABOUT BUT WE WANT TO ECHO HIS COMMENTS. I REALLY WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE LISTEN WITH OPEN EARS. WE HAVE SEEN THE IDEAS AND THE PROPOSAL CHANGE TO WHAT IS BEING HEARD. I WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT AND THANK YOU TO THE ADMINISTRATION TO TIGHTEN THE.

16:50:58 ELIGIBILITY TO GET SOME PRECISION ON WHO WOULD BE ELIGIBLE ON THIS. THE CONCERNS THAT I HEAR IS A LITTLE BIT DIFFERENT. THE TERM WAS ABOUT WITH PEOPLE WITH DEVELOP MENTAL HEALTH DISABILITIES AND REALLY WHAT HAPPENED IS A SYSTEM CONFUSION. WHO SERVES THIS PERSON? WHAT IF THEY NEED PUBLIC ASSIST SUBSTANCE? PRIVATE? PUBLIC? PEOPLE ARE BOUNCED BETWEEN SERVICES AS THEY FIGHT OVER THE CONSUMER

16:52:02 IN THE REALITY IT'S A FIGHT OVER SCARCE CITY IT'S A CONTINUATION OF MAKING WHAT IS CURRENT SCARCE EVEN MORE SCARCE AND HAVE THE COURT TAG IT AND CLAIM IT AND DIRECT THE SERVICE DELIVERY AND WHO ELSE IS BEING SERVED IN THIS SERVICE FIRST. WHAT WILL HAPPEN THEN AND WHAT I HEAR AT THE TABLES AND YOU CAN THINK OF THE FIELD AS FAMILIES AROUND KITCHEN TABLES AND WHAT I HEAR IS THAT PEOPLE HOW DO I FIT MYSELF INTO THAT CRITERIA AND GET THE RESOURCES?

16:52:44 IT'S ABOUT ESTABLISHING A SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM BASED ON A DOOR TO ACCESS THROUGH THE COURT SYSTEM AND PEOPLE TRYING TO SHOVE THEMSELVES THROUGH THE DOOR OR THE STATE EXPANDING THE DOOR SO IT'S BROADER. THINK ABOUT IT IN TERMS HOW HOSPITAL FUNCTIONS. IF YOU NEED URGENT CARE YOU HAVE TO GO TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM. ALL THE HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL RESOURCES HAVE THIS POINT OF ENTRY AND ACCESS.

16:53:06 THIS DOESN'T WORK TOO WELL. PEOPLE HAVEN'T LANDED TOO WELL ON THIS STRUCTURE. THE CARE IS THAT THE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES WILL GET REALIGNED IN THE SAME WAY. THANK YOU FOR LISTENING.

16:53:09 >>: THANK YOU AARON.

16:53:40 >>: YES, THANK YOU. WHAT I TOOK FROM YOUR COMMENTS IS BEING THOUGHTFUL ABOUT ACCESS AND THAT PLANS ARE HO LIS TICK AND INSTEAD OF A HOT POTATO --

16:53:55 >>: SO WHEN WE CREATED THIS TYPE OF STRUCTURE AND WE CREATE AN ACCESS POINT AND WE NEED TO BROADEN THE DOOR WAY AND THE ONLY WAY TO GET IN IS THE COURT DIRECTION.

16:54:35 >>: THANK YOU CORRIN FOR BEING HERE AND SPENDING TIME TO LISTEN FURTHER ON THIS TOPIC AND FOR OUR COMMENTS. WE ARE GOING TO OPEN IT UP TO PUBLIC COMMENT. I DID HAVE TWO ANNOUNCEMENTS BEFOREHAND IN ADDITION TO THANKING THE EXPERTS AROUND THIS TABLE. THE DEDICATION AND THE COMMITMENT THAT YOU BRING TO THIS COMMITTEE, THANK YOU. THE TERRIFIC WORK.

16:55:27 OUR DEAR FRIEND PETER MENDOZA HAS BEEN HOSPITALIZATION, PLEASE KEEP HIM IN YOUR THOUGHTS. PLEASE CONTINUE TO THINK ABOUT PETER AND ALSO I BELIEVE THAT SHE IS ON TODAY ANOTHER DEAR COLLEAGUE CHRIS TINA WILL BE LEAVING TO TAKE ON A NEW ROLE AND WE WILL MISS HER DEARLY ON THIS COMMITTEE AND IN OUR AGING AND DISABILITY NET WORK. THANK YOU FOR YOUR YEARS OF SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS COMMITTEE AND ALL THE

16:55:50 TABLES AND GROUPS THAT YOU LEAD. I BELIEVE YOU ARE GOING TO ANTHEM? IF YOU WANT TO OPEN YOUR MIC, WE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK WITH YOU IN THE BIGGER HEALTH CARE SYSTEM. I KNOW YOU WILL EDUCATE THE NEEDS ON THE DISABILITY COMMUNITY.

16:55:58 NOW WE WILL OPEN IT TO PUBLIC COMMENT. MARIA WILL TAKE IT FROM HERE.

16:56:48 >>: THANK YOU SUSAN. IF YOU SEE THE RAISED HAND ICON ON YOUR TOOLBAR, YOU CAN USE THAT AND THE Q AND A FEATURE. FOR THOSE WHO ARE JOINING BY PHONE YOU CAN DO STAR NINE AND WE CAN HEAR FROM YOU. OKAY. I DO SEE THAT THERE WERE A COUPLE OF COMMENTS THROUGH THE Q AND A. ROBERT, I THINK YOU HAVE BEEN REPLYING TO THEM. I WANT TO HIGHLIGHT THESE. TRANSPORTATION IS DIFFERENT IN RURAL AREAS THAN IN POPULATED AREAS AND HOW ISSUES.

16:57:25 IN RURAL AREAS WILL BE STUDIED AND MOVING FORWARD. I KNOW YOU AREN'T WITH US ANY MORE BUT THANK YOU FOR ENAGEING. BILL WANTED TO POINT THAT TO HELP SENIORS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES HOME MODIFICATION IS KEY FOR LOW INCOME. THANK YOU BILL. ANY OTHER QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC? IF NOT --

16:57:32 >>: SHELLA AND DEBBY HAVE COMMENTS.

16:57:43 >>: I JUST WAS GOING TO SAY IF WE HAD ANY COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

16:58:33 >>: I AM A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC. I AM ON THE TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE I DID WANT TO ANSWER THE QUESTION ABOUT THE RURAL TRANSPORTATION AND SAY THAT IN DEED WE RECOGNIZE AND I SAID IN THE COMMENTS AND I KNOW THE PERSON HAD TO LEAVE AT 3:30 THERE HAS TO BE SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT IN THE RURAL AREAS AND MOST OF THE FOLKS DON'T LIVE WITHIN THREE QUARTERS OF A FIXED STOP SO THERE IS NO PARA TRANSIT.

16:59:40 THERE IS NO WIFI TO CALL AN UBER. WE RECOGNIZE THAT. THE CTS CENTER WILL ADDRESS THAT AND ALLOW THE NEEDS TO BE MET. WE HAVE TO FUND IT. I DID WANT TO MAKE A COMMENT EARLIER ABOUT CAL AIM AND I DON'T KNOW IF SHERI REPLIED TO THIS OR NOT. I HAD A DISTRACTION BUT THE CONTENT THAT WAS GIVEN THAT SAID ON THE FIRST SCENARIO THAT THERE IS A 60-DAY WAIT, THERE IS NOT. IF YOU ARE IN A SKILLED NURSING FACULTY, YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR CCC SERVICES

17:00:27 THAT 60 DAYS IS TOO LONG TO BE ASSESSED. PEOPLE HAVE LOST THEIR HOUSING. THIS IS WHY ADVOCATES HAVE WORKED WITH SENATOR DODD TO REMOVE THAT. THAT'S A CALIFORNIA SPECIFIC ENDEAVOR. I THINK WE HAVE A LOT OF WORK TO DO WITH CAL AIM. THERE IS MEDICAL BIAS TO PEOPLE WHO ARE ACTUALLY MORE THAN THEIR DIAGNOSIS AND I WANTED TO SAY THAT. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR HAVING THIS SPACE AND EVERYBODY WHO CONTRIBUTES

17:00:35 >>: THANK YOU SO MUCH DEBBY. SHELLA?

17:01:31 >>: THANK YOU EVERYBODY. I AM ON THE DEVELOP MENTAL SERVICES, I HAVE A CHILD WITH A DOWN SYNDROME. I AM A DIRECTOR AND I HAVE A COUPLE OF ITEMS THAT I WANTED TO COMMENT ON. THE FIRST ITEM IS THAT THE FIRST TIME THAT I PARTICIPATED WITH THIS COMMITTEE I SPOKE OF MY DAUGHTER WHO HAS A SECTION EIGHT VOUCHER, SHE WAS BEING HARASSED BY A MALE NEIGHBORHOOD WITH KNIVES AND.

17:02:28 WE TRIED TO FILE A CLAIM TO MOVE HER QUICKLY AND FILED POLICE REPORT AND WE DID THIS ALL THIS STUFF AND HER HEALTH AND SAFETY WAS AT RISK TO PROTECT HER HOUSING. WE DID FIND HER OTHER HOUSING. AT THE TIME THIS COMMITTEE WAS CONSIDERING WHETHER THE USEFULNESS OF DEVELOPING A LIST OR A RESOURCE THAT HAD THE, YOU KNOW, AGENCIES, LAWS, REGULATIONS, LEGAL RESOURCES, CONTACT PEOPLE ALL THE DIFFERENT THINGS

17:02:50 AND WHETHER IT BE A SENIOR OR A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY. I WAS WONDERING IF THAT GOT DEVELOPED. I WANTED TO PUT THAT BACK IN THE COMMITTEES EAR AND MAKE THAT AVAILABLE.

17:03:28 THE SECOND THING IS THE LIST OF HOUSING ISSUES THAT WERE DISCUSSED EARLIER SPECIFICALLY HOW THE STATE IS LOOKING AT THE WHOLE PERSON INCLUDING THAT HOUSING IS A PRIORITY AND IT'S A KEY PART OF CAL AIMS AND I WANTED TO EXPRESS THAT AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR MY FAMILY FOR THE PEOPLE THAT I WORK WITH AND RECEIVE REGIONAL SERVICES IT'S AN IMPORTANT PRIORITY AND IN THE COURSE OF THE 23 YEARS OF THIS PROFESSIONAL WORK

17:04:17 AND STARTING TO PARTICIPATE ON THESE COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES A COUPLE OF THINGS HAVE COME TO THE FOREFRONT THAT WOULD BE USEFUL AND HELPFUL AND WOULD LIKE TO RAISE THE AWARENESS OF. THE FIRST ONE IS THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES DEALS WITH A POPULATION -- I DON'T KNOW IF THERE IS ANYONE ON THE CALL SO I PROBABLY WILL GET WORD OR SEND AN E-MAIL OUT FOR THAT SUGGESTION

17:05:17 AND ALSO THAT THE DEPARTMENT WITH THE TASK FORCE SO THAT WORK GROUP CAN IDENTIFY PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS AND WORK WITH THIS COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSING SUBCOMMITTEE AND MANAGE CARE PLANS WITH CAL AIM AND THE THIRD ITEM IS FOR DDS FOR THE PROPOSED NEW DIVISION OF COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE AND THE STATEWIDE BUDS PERSON OFFICE INCLUDES STEP ON HOUSING PROBLEMS THAT ARE TRACTED AND

17:06:02 IMPORTANTLY I WANT TO UNDER SCORE FOR THE DEPARTMENT THE NEED FOR THEM TO IDENTIFY OR CHANGE EXISTING STATE LAWS THAT ARE BARRIERS WHO ARE REMAINING IN AFFORDABLE HOUSES AND RECEIVING THEIR SERVICES. AN EXAMPLE WOULD BE THE DEPARTMENT OVER COMING THE STATE LAW THAT PREVENTS PEOPLE WHO LIVE IN A PARENTAL HOME FROM RECEIVING SUPPORTIVE LIVING SERVICES.